

PRESIDENT WILSON IN COMMAND OF TARIFF

**Determined to Uphold
Pledges of the Demo-
cratic Platform**

SUGAR SCHEDULE OPEN

**Several Important Additions to
Tariff Free List Reported--
Decide On Dutiless Wool**

COMMITTEE FOR FREE SUGAR

WASHINGTON, APRIL 5.—President Wilson tonight, virtually on the eve of the convening of congress in extra session, was in command of the tariff, determined to uphold the tariff pledges of the Democratic platform, adopted at Baltimore.

Important additions to the tariff free list as reported tonight, include: Raw wool, boots and shoes, hides, leather, skins, meats, lard, salt, iron ore, timber, agricultural implements, sewing machines, typewriters, printing presses, road machinery, news print paper, wool pulp, cotton, bagging, barbed wire, and steel rails.

The president was reported to have withstood renewed attacks upon free wool scheduled as embodied in the bill to be introduced from the ways and means committee, Monday, and delayed decision only on the sugar schedule, left open for senators and representatives from Louisiana and beet sugar states to agree to accept free sugar in three years.

President's Attitude Firm.

So firm is the president's attitude backed by the majority of his party in both branches of congress, that any effort of legislators to escape a caucus pledge on the wool schedule, would not be tolerated. The president and party leaders, having agreed upon free raw wool, there will be no trouble getting it through the house, and the senate leaders propose that there be no kicking over the traces when it reaches a senate caucus.

Effort to Form Combination.

It became evident during the day that proposals had been made between the sugar and wool partisans, looking to a combination that might force the president and the senate leaders to give some protection to both industries. This danger has worried the senate committee for some time, but it was claimed to night that the influence of President Wilson and that all demands abide by the majority of the party, would force one or two senators to a final acceptance of the revision.

The sugar forces, led by Senator Ransdell and Representative Brouard of Louisiana, were in conference with other senators and members of the house during the day. The president's proposal of a one cent duty, with free sugar in three years, had been submitted to the sugar growers' associations of the south, and it was determined to give no answer to the president until sugar growers had been heard from.

Tonight Representative Bousard received a message from the American Sugar Growers' association stating that the president's proposal had been discussed at a meeting in New Orleans today and it was unanimously agreed that a duty of one cent a pound for three years and free sugar after that time would not be acceptable.

Reject Wilson's Compromise.

President Wilson's proffered compromise on sugar which would mean a one cent a pound duty for three years and then free sugar, was rejected tonight by Senator Ransdell Representative Brouard and Col. Robert E. Wing, Democratic national committeeman from Louisiana. The Louisianans tonight carried to the white house a strong protest against free sugar adopted today at a meeting in New Orleans of the American Cane Growers' association. They predicted the ruin of industry if the president persisted in his determination to remove all duty on sugar. In turn they offered as a compromise the suggestion to the president that he endorse a one cent duty on sugar for three years and free sugar after that time would not be acceptable.

Although the delegation was in conference with the president more than an hour he gave no intimation as to whether he would consider their offer of a compromise.

Chairman Underwood of the **ways and means committee**

DUNNE WORKING ON PUBLIC UTILITIES BILL

**EXPECTS TO BE READY TO LAY IT
BEFORE ASSEMBLY TUESDAY,**

Application is Not Compulsory, Any City Being Permitted to Pass Under Act or Withdraw From Its Application.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., APRIL 5.—A public utilities bill bearing the state stamp of an administration measure will be introduced in the house next week. Governor Dunne is now at work on the final draft of the measure and hopes to have it ready to lay before the assembly next Tuesday.

Under the governor's bill, the application of the act is not compulsory. Any city may pass under the act or withdraw from its application at will. Only one commission is provided for, there being no separate commission for the city of Chicago.

The people of each city are given control of their local situation through the initiative and referendum.

Full control to regulate all rates of all public service corporations is given the commission together with control over the issuing of stocks and bonds or the acquiring of other form of indebtedness. Capitalization of franchises is prohibited and stock issued without the approval of the commission is declared to be void. The commission also is empowered to fix charges for demurrage, storage, and the distribution of cars, etc.

Prohibits Issuance of Passes.

The issuing of passes or furnishing of free service of any character is prohibited, except to officials, employees and members of employees' families, ministers and such other persons as are under the statutes controlling interstate traffic.

The measure is made to apply to all steam and electric railroads and interurban lines, street railways, telegraph and telephone companies, dining cars, sleeping cars, fast freight and other transportation lines, gas companies, electric light, heat and power companies, and every other form of public service company.

The commissioners are to be appointed by the governor and their salary tentatively is fixed at \$10,000, but this may be reduced to \$6,000 before the bill goes to the legislature. The secretary will receive \$5,000 a year, and the commission's attorney \$6,000.

CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES FORM NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Declare in Favor of a Non-Contributory Plan of Civil Service Pensions and Adjourn After Election.

Washington, April 5.—Declaring in favor of a non-contributory plan of civil service pensions, the national association of civil service employees today completed its organization, and after electing officers adjourned. The question as to whether the association should favor a pension fund obtained through assessments against active employees, a half employee and half government contributory or a full government fund plan caused considerable discussion. It was decided finally to favor the full government fund plan, and a bill would be prepared and offered at the extra session of congress.

It was manifested early in the session that a plan for pensions for superannuated civil servants should be adopted that every endeavor to have a measure ready for action by the extra session. Many speakers took an active part in the discussion, among them Commissioner Mr. Waldo, of New York city, who urged the delegates to agree upon a straight government pension fund.

The aid of the federal civil service society of New York, was pledged in aid of the pension movement, as was also the aid of several similar organizations in various parts of the country.

The officers elected included A. W. McKee, New York city, president; John J. Deevlinny, Washington, secretary and L. E. Schwartz, Chicago, treasurer.

reached the white house just after the Louisianans had left. He brought a copy of the completed tariff bill, for the president's final approval. Mr. Underwood discussed the proposed sugar compromise briefly with the president. It was understood that no changes were made in the bill as it left the ways and means committee today. It was carried to the government printing office tonight by Mr. Underwood himself and he expects to have it in readiness for the consideration of majority of members of the senate finance committee which meets late tomorrow.

Leave Sugar Schedule Open.

The ways and means committee having completed the tariff bill, adjourned until Monday, leaving the sugar schedule open, approved in the committee voted for free sugar flatly; and also for the sub-alternative of one cent a pound for three years, to be followed by free trade. Two schedules were drafted, the committee leaving it to Chairman Underwood to incorporate in the bill the schedule finally approved by the president. If no agreement can be reached by way of compromise with the anti-free sugar senators, it was indicated that the tariff bill would be introduced any way, probably with sugar on the free list.

REPUBLICANS NAME MANN FOR SPEAKER

**Progressive Republicans
Meet and Decide to Main-
tain Party Quorum**

DO NOT OPPOSE NOMINEE

**Members of Progressive Party
Outline Plans for Strenuous
Campaigning**

DEM. COMMITTEES NAMED

WASHINGTON, APRIL 5.—Representative J. R. Mann of Illinois, was nominated as the Republican candidate for speaker of the house, other offices filled in the Republican organization and the political situation generally was discussed at a caucus of the Republican representatives in the house chamber tonight. It was harmonious throughout, 97 of 176 Republican members were present. Among them were such "Progressive Republicans" as Representatives Lenoir, and Cooper of Wisconsin, Volstead, Anderson, Steenerson, of Minnesota, Hilgeson, of North Dakota and others who had earlier participated in an informal conference on Progressive (Republican) Representative Kent, of California, though on the Republican caucus roll, absented himself. He had already stayed away from the "Progressive third party conference and from the "Progressive Republican" meeting. Republican Leader Mann regarded Mr. Kent as independent, but expects to accord him recognition on committees as he did in the last congress.

Caucus Nominations.

The caucus nominations, which will be put before the house in opposition to the Democratic majority were:

For speaker—Representative Mann of Illinois.
Chaplin—Rev. Henry C. Couden of Washington, D. C. (incumbent).
Clerk of house—Former Representative Alexander McDowell, Pennsylvania.

Sergeant at arms—Clarence M. Price, Kansas.
Doorkeeper—Geo. W. Denny, Tennessee.
Postmaster, George W. Russell, Seattle.

Representative Chas. Burke of South Dakota, was chosen Republican whip; Representative Green of Massachusetts, chairman of Republican caucus, and Representative Miller of Minnesota, secretary of caucus. Joseph G. Rogers, Joseph H. Hollingsworth, Wm. Taylor Page, Bert Kennedy, Frank W. Collier and A. W. Chaffe, were elected special Republican members.

Extend Sympathy to Flood Sufferers.

Resolutions adopted expressing sympathy with the flood sufferers, authorizing Mr. Mann to make recommendations to the Democratic majority for Republican membership on committees and authorizing a caucus "upon written request of 25 members or of the Republican leader." Representatives Mann, Burke, Martin and others urged more frequent caucuses. A caucus tariff will be held next week. A provision to have caucus public was made and will be acted on next week.

Mr. Mann's nomination was without opposition and upon motion of Representative Woods, of Iowa, Mr. Mann declared that the politics of their political opponents would injure or destroy the prosperity of the country.

"The Republican party," he said, "glorifies in its past, but it faces the present and the future firmly determined to rightly solve the pressing problems of the age."

Earlier in the evening a score of the Progressive Republicans, an element distinct from the Progressive third party, assembled in the office of Representative Anderson of Minnesota, and discussed Republican conditions. Representatives Anderson, Steenerson, of Minnesota, Hilgeson, of North Dakota, and some of the other members who have aligned themselves with the progressive wing of the Republican party in the past, surveyed the situation and most of them indicated their purpose of participating in the caucus of the regular Republicans. This was done on an understanding between themselves that they would not feel themselves bound by caucus action as to legislative matters. There was a general sentiment, however, that the policy of maintaining a party quorum should be recognized and there was no disposition to oppose the regular nominee of the Republicans for the speakership.

Plans for some strenuous legislative campaigning during the coming session of congress were outlined today by the new organization of the Progressive party in the house. The fifteen Progressive members speak

ATHLETICS PLAY PHILLIES TO A TIE

**EIGHTEEN INNING CONTEST ENDS IN
DARKNESS, 2 TO 2**

Brown, Athletic's Young Right Hand, Pitches Entire Game, Allowing Only Thirteen Safeties—Other Sport News.

PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 5.—The Philadelphia Athletics and the Philadelphia Nationals today played the longest inter league baseball game in the history of two major organizations, the contest being called at the end of the 18th inning on account of darkness, with the score standing 2 to 2.

Brown, the Athletic's young right hander, pitched the entire game and was hit safely only 13 times, while the Phillies used Alexander five innings Chalmers two and Brennan eleven. They allowed the former world's champions a total of only ten hits.

The Americans made their two runs in the first inning and the Nationals two were scored in the ninth.

CHICAGO, APRIL 5.—The Chicago Nationals opened their local season today by beating the Indianapolis American association team, 5 to 2.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., APRIL 5.—The Boston Americans finished their training season this afternoon when they defeated the University of Illinois nine, 11 to 2. After the college ineligible team had failed to stop Stahl's men, the varsity was introduced in the fifth inning, behind Joe Wood, who was loaned for the occasion. Wood was a puzzle to most of his team mates, but the game was too far gone for the collegians to do much. Home runs by Breton and Wood brought in the university runs. At Baltimore—New York Nationals, 1; Baltimore, 3.

At Kansas City—Pittsburg Nationals, 14; 14; Kansas City, 1. At St. Louis—Americans, 6; Nationals, 2.

At Brooklyn—New York Americans, 2; Brooklyn Nationals, 3.

Federal League Schedule Adopted.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., APRIL 5.—After a meeting of the magnates lasting all day and until late tonight the schedule for the Federal league this summer was adopted. It called for the opening on May 6 with 120 games.

The opening dates are: Indianapolis at Cincinnati; Cleveland at Pittsburg and Chicago at St. Louis.

Cincinnati was awarded the franchise that had been given to Covington, Ky., that town having failed to post its forfeit.

Women Box Four Rounds.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF., APRIL 5.—Two young women—Jessie Gibson and Jessie Zeller—boxed four rounds in the Vernon arena today for the benefit of middle western flood sufferers. They were on the program with a number of stars of the ring, including Johnny Kilbane, Johnny Dundee and James J. Jeffries.

WINS BABY HEALTH CONTEST.

Des Moines, Ia., April 5.—Rueman Buck is the prize baby of the baby health contest at the household show, closing here tonight. Judges today announced him the winner in the sweetest class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Buck and is 2 years 8 months old.

the day in a series of conferences to perfect plans.

The recognition of the new party in the house was assured this afternoon when majority Leader Underwood, in conference with Representatives Mardock, Hinebaugh and Steppans, the Progressive committee on committees agreed to allot to the new party its proportion of committee places. Mr. Underwood said he would give the Progressives places on at least two important committees, ways and means and rules. The Progressives were jubilant over this decision.

The Progressive party fight in the house may start before the first roll call of members-elect is completed on Monday.

The Progressive fight to unseat H. Olin Young, member from the twelfth district of Michigan, in favor of Wm. H. McDonald, the Progressive who opposed him. The Progressives are considering a protest against Mr. Young being recognized in temporary roll call when the session is opened Monday.

The first committees of the sixty-third congress virtually were chosen today, so far as the Democratic members are concerned by the majority of the house committee on ways and means. These were selected:

Rules committee—Henry, of Texas, chairman; Pou of North Carolina, Hardwick, of Georgia, Garrett, of Tennessee, Foster, of Illinois, Cantrill, of Kentucky, and Conry, of New York.

Accounts committee—Lloyd of Missouri, chairman; Smith of Texas, Hamill, of New Jersey, Underhill, of New York, Kindell, of Colorado, Howard of Georgia, Abercrombie, of Alabama.

Committee on enrolled bills—Whitacre, of Ohio, chairman.

Mileage committee—Bailey of Pennsylvania, chairman.

The recommendations for the Democratic majority places for the only committees to be created at the outset of the extra session according to the present program will be submitted to the Democratic caucus Tuesday and probably ratified later by the house.

CAIRO NOW FACING CRISIS OF FLOOD

**Grave Danger Menaces
City From Seepage
Through Levees**

STAGE OF RIVER 54 7

**Adjutant General and Party
Arrive With 85 Tons of Sup-
plies For the Refugees**

MAKE CAIRO HEADQUARTERS

CAIRO, ILL., APRIL 5.—Cairo now is having what is thought the crisis of the flood. The river is now at a stage of 54.7 feet and is practically stationary, with a falling tendency, but is expected to remain at an extremely high stage for several days.

Grave danger still menaces the city from the seepage through the levees or from the rises that might follow a high wind, which would dash the waters against the levee.

The local weather observer said that the passing of the Ohio waters into the Mississippi through Cache creek and the breaking of levees of the Missouri, are what relieved the great pressure on the Cairo levees and kept the water from going much higher on the Cairo gauge.

Adjutant General Dickson arrived on the steamer Illinois at 5 o'clock this afternoon. In the general's party were Speaker McKinley of the Illinois house of representatives; Mr. Matthews, secretary to the governor; E. E. Caldwell, state fish commissioner; Captain Charles Neat, quartermaster, and E. W. Clifford, assistant state treasurer. The boat brought 85 tons of supplies, which will be distributed among flood refugees in Illinois.

Steamer Proceeds Up River.

The steamer went up the river and tonight will make its first stop at Mount City and then continue up the Ohio as far as Shawneetown. Rations will be distributed wherever needed.

Adjutant General Dickson said that on his return from Shawneetown he would establish headquarters here. He expects to return to Cairo Monday.

Colonel Daniel Moriarity went to Mounds today to investigate the conduct of guardsmen stationed there, who it is charged caused trouble last Thursday night.

It is charged that intoxicated soldiers went about the village breaking in doors and arresting citizens unnecessarily. Mayor Fletcher of Mounds finally found a captain, who took charge of the situation and drove the disturbers to Villa Ridge, where they had no chance to secure liquor.

The Big Four railroad took 500 laborers to Mound City last night and put them to work on the levee there. It now is thought the place is safe.

Mounds, north of Cairo, is flooded with back water, which in some places is two to three feet deep. The town is three miles from the Ohio river and five miles from the Mississippi.

A guardsman who was acting as a "rescuer" in a moving picture drama staged in the flooded district today, fell into the water and narrowly escaped drowning.

Fear Epidemic in District.

Springfield, Ill., April 5.—There is now fear of an epidemic in the flood district of southern Illinois. Governor Dunne today received a message from Major Logan of the United States army which was immediately transmitted to Colonel Shand of the adjutant general's office. Major Logan said the sanitary situation at Shawneetown was very bad and he urged Assistant General Shand and Governor Dunne to send an investigator along the Ohio river shores immediately.

Major Frank Jacobs of Chicago was ordered to proceed at once to take a supply of vaccine with him and to report health conditions as he found them. A large quantity of lime has been rushed to the flood districts.

"The situation," says Major Logan in his dispatch, referred to a possible epidemic, "is of even greater importance now than rationing the people."

J. C. Westervelt of the state board of health was sent to investigate a reported outbreak of smallpox at Boaz.

Mrs. Dunne to Assist at Ball.

Mrs. Edward F. Dunne, wife of Governor Dunne, will go to Chicago to assist the ladies who have planned a ball at Arcadia hall next Tuesday night, April 8. An invitation to attend was received by Governor and Mrs. Dunne, signed by Mrs. John Boylston, Mrs. McCabe, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Matron, Mrs. Farrington, Mrs. Michael Kelly, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Wm. Henderson, Mrs. Sheehy, Mrs. Heller, and Mrs. Fred Hunt. Mrs. Dunne sent her acceptance and the governor will attend if possible for him to leave Springfield. Mrs. Dunne said she

THOUSANDS IN OHIO IN NEED OF AID

**RED CROSS SOCIETY ESTIMATES
LIFE LOSS AT 454**

Figures Based on Reports of Field Agents Throughout Ohio Flood District—Conditions of Cities Given.

COLUMBUS, APRIL 5.—Based on their figures upon reports received today from their field agents throughout the Ohio flood districts officers of the Red Cross society who have been placed in charge of relief work in this state today issued a statement estimating that 454 persons lost their lives during last week's flood. Ohioans numbering 77,133 need help for rehabilitation, according to the statement. The city of Findlay, where at least two lives were lost and many made homeless is not included in the estimate, which follows:

	Lives Lost	Need Help
Chillicothe	17	1,500
Coshocton	3	1,100
Columbus	86	20,000
Dayton	150	22,000
Delaware	5	500
Kalaware	21	833
Franklin	7	250
Fremont	20	1,000
Gallipolis, O.	—	2,500
Hamilton	72	12,500
Ironton	—	1,000
Larue	—	100
Malta	—	600
Manchester	—	350
McConnelsville	—	125
Marionetta	—	450
Miamisburg	2	2,000
Midway	8	1,500
Middleport	—	1,000
Orwa	—	125
Piqua	45	1,400
Pomeroy	—	175
Portsmouth	2	1,750
Sidney	—	125
Tiffin	3	2,000
Troy	6	2,000
Zanesville	2	2,000

No official reports have been received as to the loss of life at Harrison, Mt. Vernon, Valley Junction, Van Wert, Venice, New Trenton, Brookville, Wooster, Cleves, North Bend, New Bethlehem, Mansfield, Globe Center and Londonville. All reported loss of life, but it is now believed the reports were exaggerated.

PROTESTS AGAINST FREE SUGAR.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 5.—The Porto Rican Commerce association has sent a cablegram to President Wilson in which it is declared the removal of the sugar tariff will mean disaster to that industry in the state of Porto Rico, and will leave thousands without employment and affect financial conditions materially. President Wilson is requested to allow a commission representing Porto Rico to be heard before final action is taken.

BURNED TO DEATH ON STOVE.

Springfield, Ill., April 5.—Little Eddie, the 5-year-old daughter of Frank Durbin, of Chatham, who is blind and who has depended upon the daughter to lead him about the village, was burned to death when she fell upon a red hot stove while reaching for a salt shaker. The blind father was badly burned while making a futile attempt to rescue her.

ADMITTED KILLING DAUGHTER.

Jackson, Mich., April 5.—John Sierminski was this afternoon sentenced to life imprisonment for killing his 13-month-old daughter on March 22. Sierminski admitted killing the baby, but said that he did it when he was drunk. The child's skull was crushed and the body was covered with bruises.

wished to aid the flood sufferers in any way she can.

Five Thousand Miners Idle.

Chicago, April 5.—Five thousand coal miners are out of employment at Harrisburg, Ill., because of back water. When the last train north left today shortly before noon the track was 21 inches under water, which was rising half an inch an hour. Local experts say that the water is not likely to rise more than a foot further.

Five hundred mules belonging to a coal company are on a hill surrounded by deep water and efforts are being made to provide sufficient food for the animals. The east end of Harrisburg is low and the entire population of that quarter has been ordered to remove to higher ground. Six coal mine shafts are under water and workmen are bulkinghead others to keep the works from being flooded. Telephone communication with Shawneetown failed today.

Mayor Blackman of Harrisburg today asked Governor Dunne to send 100 tents.

Food Supplies Nearly Out.

Shawneetown, Ill., April 5.—Via Mount Vernon, Ind.—The food supplies of the hundreds of women and children living in tents on the hills back of Shawneetown are nearly exhausted. Farmers have been supplying them, but the supplies from this source also are about exhausted.

M. F. Strickland, acting mayor, who is chairman of the relief committee, has issued an appeal for public aid. He asks that all funds and supplies be sent in his care.

Thus far only one death has been reported, and this was by drowning. Ben Smythe, of Junction, was drowned while trying to save his mother's household goods.

Little saw wreckage and debris apparently is left of Shawneetown. It is estimated that ninety per cent of the homes have been washed away, only brick buildings and those frame buildings that were built high remaining.

A swift current passed through the city today, carrying many houses down stream.

SHERMAN ADDRESSES CHICAGO 1916 CLUB

**Predicts the Progressives
Will Aid In Re-Building
the Republican Party**

HOPEFUL OF THE FUTURE

**Insists That Those Who Left
Party Last Year Did Not
Mean It Permanently**

APPROVES MANY VIEWS

CHICAGO, APRIL 5.—Senator elect Lawrence Y. Sherman, before his departure for Washington this afternoon, spoke before the 1916 club, whose guest of honor he was at the club's monthly luncheon. He predicted a new and stronger Republican party and that the Progressives would co-operate in rebuilding the party.

"I do not believe it is the end of the Republican party," Mr. Sherman asserted, "but the beginning of the remaking of a stronger, greater party. The 1916 club has a good name. It is looking forward not backward. All we need to remember of the past is the lesson it has taught us."

Party Still Unchanged.

He declared the men who marched to the sea with Sherman are as hopeful of the future of the party as the younger Republicans, and added:

"The Republican party is just as unchanged as it was when its first great leader in Illinois led it to a great victory in 1860." Analyzing the party's defeat Mr. Sherman said:

"We have been defeated three times in my generation. Two times they were straight-out defeats. These voters who could not agree with us went over to the Democratic party. In the 1912 struggle those who could not vote our ticket stopped at the half way house and voted the Progressive or third party ticket."

He insisted that those who left the party last year "did not mean to permanently separate from the party, but did so as a protest against some existing conditions."

"This country," he continued, "is not a Democratic country. We will have to stand the Democrats for four years, but they are in the majority now and were not in November."

Has No Quarrel With Voters.

He said he had no quarrel with the Progressive voters, though he might have some cause of controversy with the Progressive politician.

"With the politician there is nothing for him to fact but open and honorable war, and we must show him he is much more selfish than those he criticized in the last campaign," he added. "The methods of the Progressive politician," he asserted "are as sound and his political acumen the blindest I have ever seen. The voter looks for some sort of patriotism and he will not find it in the kind of man I am thinking of just now."

Mr. Sherman approved many Progressive views—protection for American workmen and American business, regulation of interstate commerce under the present act; repeal or modification of free common law defenses of American workmen; a just compensation law or form of insurance that would cover accidents, sickness and death. He favored an effective plan of arbitration; a revision of the monopoly system of the country to safely utilize credit on proper occasions.

"We will preserve the judiciary in its integrity and independence. This republic must continue, as of old, to be one of law."

This was the concluding declaration, and it was warmly received.

FUND TOTALS OVER MILLION.

Washington, April 5.—The total contributions received by the Red Cross for the floods fund up to the close of business today amounted to \$1,317,752.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, April 5.—For Illinois: Fair and warmer Sunday; Monday, increasing cloudiness, moderated variable winds becoming southerly.

Temperatures.

	Current	High	Low
Chicago	44	52	38
Boston	22	32	22
Buffalo	48	56	46
New York	50	58	48
New Orleans	70	72	58
Chica	45	52	31
Detroit	32	34	32
Omaha	40	48	38
St. Paul	48	56	38
Helena	42	50	40
San Francisco	54	68	52
Winnipeg	42	48	38

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The Popularity of Our Waist Dept.

Never before was our Waist Department so popular as during the present season. The business on waists thus far has vastly exceeded our fondest hopes, and with the new arrivals goes on unabated. The reason for this notable success is not difficult to find; it comes as a result of the widely diverse and magnificent styles that have been gathered here; and the very moderate prices at which our waists are sold. Come in when convenient and let us show you the new offerings; although you might not now be wanting waists, you will know after viewing our splendid display where to go when you are in need.

SOME FIGURES ON BUSINESS OF NEW PARCEL POST

RECEIPTS GRADUALLY IN-
CREASING AT LOCAL OFFICE.

Amount of Money Orders Received and Sent Out—Substitute Carriers For Sunday Collections.

The parcel post business at the local postoffice has been gradually increasing since its inception. The following figures have been compiled from Jan. 1 to April 4:

Total amount of parcel post stamps sold, \$1,087.60.

Total number of parcels post sent out, 8,000.

Total number received and delivered, 16,000.

Total number of pieces insured dispatched, 218.

Total number of pieces received (insured), 365.

The money order business from March 31 1912 to 1913 follows:

No. of domestic money orders issued, 23,313. Amount, \$115,739.74. Fees \$1,182.84.

Foreign orders issued, 244; amount, \$3,069.51. Fees \$53.95, making a total of 23,557 orders issued. Total amount \$118,809.25; total fees, \$1,236.79.

Number of domestic orders paid, 13,105. Amount \$79,492.55. Number of foreign orders paid, 38. Amount, \$3,971.10. Total number of orders paid, 13,143. Amount \$79,863.65.

Certificates of deposit issued to other offices that deposit their surplus money order funds at this office amounted to \$34,253.00. Surplus money order fund remitted from Jacksonville to Chicago \$74,700.00.

Commencing today the collections of the city boxes will be made by two substitute carriers, A. J. Donovan and Sam F. Boston. The help at the office is short so that the regular men are worked up to the full time and not allowed off, so the time must be filled by the substitute carriers. The collections start in the afternoon at 2:15 and it takes the three men about three hours to complete the trip. There are 11 package boxes and 76 regular letter boxes.

For most perfect fitting Negligee shirts on the market buy FAULTLESS DAY SHIRTS, sold by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

I wish to call attention of the Democrats of the county to the fact that I am a candidate for renomination, for the office of COUNTY COMMISSIONER to be voted for at the primary election to be held next TUESDAY, APRIL 8TH.

I wish to assure you that I will appreciate your support.

ROBERT R. COULTAS.

ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE GUILD

Miss Amanda Kidder Reads "Passing of the Third Floor Back."

The I. W. C. Guild met Saturday afternoon in the chapel of the college. The business session was made as short as possible, and the members were given a rare treat in hearing Miss Amanda Kidder read Jerome K. Jerome's "Passing of the Third Floor." The drama is one which makes many demands upon the reader, the number of characters, their subtle and at the same time, their inevitable change from jealous, quarrelsome individuals, to loving, peaceful brothers and sisters, the natural delineation of the stranger, were so skillfully managed by Miss Kidder that all the salient points were clearly brought out. The message of the drama is potent with the plea for a sympathetic understanding of ones fellowmen. A plea that insists upon seeing in a man's brother only those things that are good, refusing to give power to those things unworthy of his better nature. Time after time as the stranger meets the petty difficulties, the useless jealousies of the boarders, he is able to do away with them, showing how unworthy they are, because they prevent these blinded brothers from following the promptings of love that would lead them into the way where peace and love and sympathy would allow them to effectively serve their fellows. Such a message is not an easy one to convey, unless the reader would become the preacher and this Miss Kidder never permits herself to do. The beauty of the drama, its atmosphere of sympathy and love were well sustained, and the ladies of the Guild are deeply indebted to Miss Kidder for giving them an afternoon of such rare pleasure.

For the first time since the organization of the Guild a silver offering was taken for the benefit of the library. The members have several plans under way for the advancement of the interests of the school.

THE CLASSICAL CLUB.

Miss Mary Johnson Gives Interesting Talk On the "Roman House."

The Classical club met Saturday night with Prof. R. H. Tanner on Grove street. Miss Mary Johnston, a member of the faculty of the Woman's college gave an illustrated talk on the "Roman House."

The illustrations were part of the collection of the photographs presented to the Latin department of the Woman's college by Mrs. Mary Callahan Mercer of Robinson, Ill. A general discussion following the talk. Miss Johnston is an interesting speaker and the members were highly entertained and instructed. Miss Davis, a new member from Roodhouse was present and there was a good attendance.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Len Magill, who underwent an operation at Passavant hospital two weeks ago, is improving and was able to be up a short time Saturday.

Mrs. W. O. Swales, who is a patient at Our Savior's hospital is convalescing.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Literary union will meet Monday evening with Dr. Baker, Leader L. O. Vaught. Subject "Government by Party."

The anniversary meeting of the Young Women's Foreign Missionary society of Centenary church will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 at Centenary church. Each member may bring a guest.

The Friday Social circle will hold its meeting this week with Mrs. Camp, Friday, April 11, at 3 p. m.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace M. E. church will hold an afternoon meeting Monday, April 7th, at 3 p. m., at the home of Mrs. John J. Reeve, 232 Prospect street. Miss Wharton and Mrs. Nebold assistant hostess. Members please note change of time.

The Wednesday Class will meet with Mrs. A. L. Adams on West College avenue. Miss Coley will be hostess.

The April meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will be held at the home of Mrs. Rowe, 1152 West State street. Thursday, April 9th, at 2:30 p. m.

The Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet with Mrs. Sarah Cocking, 210 West North street Monday afternoon at 2:30. Miss Mattie Tapp will lead the devotional. All members and friends are invited to come.

The Fortnightly club will meet Thursday, April 10 with Miss Marion Fairbank of 622 West State street.

The April business meeting of the Pastor's Aid society of Grace church will be held in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Business of importance is to be transacted and a full attendance of the ladies of the church is desired.

The Fine Point club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Masters, corner South Main street and Waverly avenue. The ladies will sew for Passavant hospital.

The College Hill club will meet with Mrs. S. A. Fairbank, 905 Edge Hill road, on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The second charity tea under the auspices of the Hospital Aid society will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Capps, 1018 West State street. All friends of the hospital are cordially invited to be present. All receipts will be used for maintaining the charity ward at the hospital.

The Home and Foreign Missionary societies of Westminster church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Kellogg of Grove street. This is the time for the payment of the annual dues in both societies and all members are urged to come prepared to pay.

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON LADIES' CLOTH SUITS; ALL 1913 MODELS, AND ALTERATIONS FREE, AT HERMAN'S.

NOTICE OF COLOR OF BALLOTS.

Announcement is hereby made that the colors for the primary ballots to be used by the respective parties at a primary election to be held on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913, in the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, will be as follows:

Democratic party, pink.
Republican party, canary.
Progressive party, gray.
Socialist party, blue.
Prohibition party, green.

C. A. Boruff,
County Clerk.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Lyman Pratt, final report approved.

Estate of Elizabeth Williamson, deceased. Petition for letters of administration. Bond \$4,000; letters to issue to A. B. Williamson.

Letters of guardianship to issue to Annie C. Still in the case of Charles Still.

Estate of George Hart. Petition for probate of will. Same admitted.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Frank Ornellas will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Eagles hall.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Bellatti, Barnes & Bellatti have removed their law offices to suite 609 Ayers national bank building. Lee Meridith of Franklin, went to Beardstown Friday. Rev. J. Rapp of Bellville is visiting with friends in the city. Fresh Strawberry Sundae at Ehnie's. Mrs. Date Gilpin of Waverly was a visitor in the city Saturday. Mrs. Lucy Bates of Merritt was shopping in the city yesterday. We launder your curtains perfectly at 25 cents per pair. Grand Laundry, 214 E. Court street. Both phones 128. Richard Whalen of Franklin was in the city yesterday on business. Mrs. C. C. Hill of Winchester was shopping in the city yesterday. Claud Hart of Franklin, is visiting friends in Virden this week. New shoes, the very latest styles. Frogs & Nolley. Miss Edna Hutches of Franklin was shopping in the city yesterday. Mrs. Edwin Petefish of Virginia was a visitor in the city Saturday. Dike's household remedies should be in every household. Gilbert's Pharmacy. Miss Mary Heaton of Roodhouse was a Saturday shopper in the city. Amos Coker of Piegah was transacting business in the city yesterday. You are invited to attend the charity tea to be given Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Capps, 1018 West State street. Ned Greenleaf of Alexander as a business visitor in the city Saturday. George Hale and daughter of Bluffs were visitors in the city Saturday. A quart of fresh strawberry moose will make a delicious dessert for your Sunday dinner. Order from Vickery & Merrigan. Rev. Frank Gruenewald is at home after a business visit in Quincy. Peanut candy 10c per pound. Ehnie's. Mrs. W. H. Barrows of Roodhouse was shopping in the city Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Carroll of Woodson were visiting in the city Saturday. We launder your curtains perfectly at 25 cents per pair. Grand Laundry, 214 E. Court street. Both phones 128. Mrs. L. P. Jordan and children are spending the day with friends in Ashland. Cyrus Kidder of North Main street is at home after a business trip to Decatur. Mr. and Mrs. William Warters of Ashland were visitors in the city Saturday. Farm workers will find the kind of shoes that wear at Frost & Nolley's. Fred Carlson of Anderson, Cass county was in the city on business Saturday. Aldo Hierman and Floyd Giger of Arenzville were in the city on business Saturday. Dike's Blood and Skin Remedy for pimples, boils, chronic sores and bad blood. Gilbert's Pharmacy. Dr. H. C. Fortune of Litterberry was a professional visitor in the city yesterday. George Vermillion of Mt. Sterling attended the Fuller horse and mule sale Saturday.

John C. McBride is able to be on duty at the Tomlinson store after a few days' illness. You are invited to attend the charity tea to be given Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Capps, 1018 West State street. Mrs. Hector Tulpin and Miss Mith Tulpin of Franklin were shopping in the city Saturday. Mrs. W. C. Pearce and daughter Miss Louise of Manchester spent yesterday in the city. No muss, no fuss; buy the Conklin self filling pen. Gilbert's Pharmacy. L. C. Hackman and daughter, Miss Zelma, were visitors in the city yesterday from Arenzville. Charles Cox and wife of Chambersburg were among the Saturday visitors in the city. The strawberry Sunday made from the fresh fruit today at Vickery & Merrigan's. Mrs. Frank Kennedy and daughter Miss Pauline of Waverly were shopping in Jacksonville Saturday. Smoke Ehnie's New Wrinkle cigars. Mrs. Ray Castle of Beardstown is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Adkisson on Grove street. Mrs. Mary Frankenberg and daughter, Frances, of West College avenue, are at home after a visit in Chicago. We launder your curtains perfectly at 25 cents per pair. Grand Laundry, 214 E. Court street. Both phones 128. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Doolittle have returned from a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. A. Corbett of Decatur. You ought to see the tan shoe lines at Frost & Nolley's. Miss Mary Gold of Flint, Mich., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. S. Hayden, on West College avenue. Order Ehnie's pure ice cream. Miss Frankie Gordon a teacher in the school at Concord is spending Sunday at the home of her mother in this city. Shumate razors give you excellent satisfaction. \$1.00 to \$3.75. Gilbert's Pharmacy. Mrs. W. E. Gibson of Virginia is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Simeon Fernandes on North East street. Miss Elizabeth Coultas of Winchester is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Priest on South East street. Harry Obermeyer and his sister, Miss Deane, expected to go to Naples today to see the flooded district along the Illinois river. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McNamara of Springfield are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard McKay, on North Main street. Mrs. Sallie Huddleston has returned to her home at Merritt after visiting a few days with her sister, Miss Hattie Barry. Mr. and Mrs. William Hackman of New Canton were in the city yesterday while on their way to Arenzville for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Ollie Mayfield returned to her home in Franklin Saturday after a visit of a few weeks with friends and relatives in St. Louis. See the little fancy traveling bags, just the thing for the little ones, only 15c, in the window of Vickery & Merrigan. George Wiegand has accepted a position as meat cutter in the market of T. L. Cannon and will be glad to meet his many friends there. Mrs. Susie Osborne of Crary, N. D. and Miss Ethel Deane of Manchester, Ill. are visitors at the home of Mrs. Ellen Murphy on Davenport street. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Henderson, Frank Long and Mrs. Emma Dods-worth were among the visitors in the city from Litterberry. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swales and little grandson, Donald Swales of Springfield are here for a visit over Sunday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Swales. Drink Ehnie's Soda Water. It's good. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vannier, who have recently returned from Florida where they spent the winter, have ended a visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. Howard McCullough at Riggsdon. Mrs. Porter R. Leach who has been a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Chambers on West College street for some days expects to leave Monday for her home in Chicago. Among the visitors in the city from Sinclair Saturday were Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. J. R. Brown, Miss Bessie Hopper, Mrs. J. Stock-ton, Mr. and Mrs. Hainline, Mrs. Charles Bealmear and Arthur Swain. Fine Box Chocolates at Ehnie's.

Mrs. Culliver Hunt of Petersburg is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McDougal of Franklin. Miss Edna McDougal and Miss Marie Austin of Franklin are spending Sunday in Springfield. Mrs. Charles Cussins of Franklin is visiting S. E. Cussins of Owaneco. Miss May Galley has returned to Litchfield after a visit with home folks. Clark Bullard who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buckingham has returned to his home in Springfield. Mrs. Louisa Blackburn, who has been a guest of Mrs. Ada Rantz of Webster avenue, left yesterday for her home in Los Angeles.

Dance Wed. eve. Apr. 8, Degen's hall. Union music. O. H. Spaulding.

FULLER SALE WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

Auction of Horses and Mules Finds Spirited Bidders—List of Individual Purchases. W. H. Fuller held a public sale Saturday afternoon at the Packard livery barn on East Morgan street. There was an unusually large attendance and the bidding was spirited. Jed Cox was the auctioneer with R. T. Stevenson as clerk. The purchases of horses include the following: Hanrahan and Reidy, New Berlin, mare, \$175; Charles Davis, mare, \$141.50; George Weakley, mare, \$130; W. Chillers, Springfield, pair grey mares, \$360; H. Mosely, pair horses, \$355; John Pate, horse, \$107.50; B. Rexroat, pair grey horses, \$205; Lewis Rexroat, horse, \$135. The following bought horses: C. B. Clarkson, \$105; Charles Sulker \$110; John Hall, \$135; Dan Sommers, \$120; William Douglass \$130; Lester Cox, \$115; George Wheeler \$165. The following was the sale of mules: One pair to Hanrahan and Reidy, \$425; pair to B. P. Graham, \$337.50; pair to H. Self, \$335.00; pair to W. Nunes, \$387.50; pair to J. Berger, \$370; pair to William Hackman, \$315; pair to J. Berger, \$287.50; pair to John Burns, \$327.50. Those buying single mules were: J. Berger, \$180; Hanrahan and Reidy, \$142.50; J. Berger \$180.

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PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY. The primary election to choose nominees for the office of county commissioner to be voted on in November will be held next Tuesday, April 8th. Peter D. Megginson is the candidate on the Republican ticket and has no opposition. Mr. Megginson has held the office in the past for a number of terms and has given the county careful and business like service. William Mortimer is the progressive candidate and on the Democratic ticket Robert R. Coultas and Spencer Carpenter are both aspirants for the office.

EVER-WEAR HOSIERY for MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, are made better than ever and are sold by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store. DELAYED BY HIGH WATER. Mrs. E. S. Greenleaf and Miss Manha Grecof who have been spending the winter in the south are making a stay in Louisville, Ky., which was not included in their itinerary. The high water has made railroad travel well nigh impossible in some parts of the south and they have accordingly delayed their home coming.

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UNION BAPTIST CHURCH. Services at Union Baptist church, Pisgah, Sunday, April 6. L. H. Williams, pastor: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching service at 11 a. m., subject: "Power for Service." Evening sermon, at 7:30, subject: "Correct Thinking." Young People's meeting at 8:30. The quarterly business meeting of the church will be held tonight and a full attendance is desired.

Dance Wed. eve. Apr. 8, Degen's hall. Union music. O. H. Spaulding. TERRITORY IS WIDE. William Readner, who has charge of the Rowe Granite company, has been transacting business in Ashland and Beardstown and Saturday went to St. Louis. In all of these places he has sold monuments which shows the wide range of territory the company takes in and also speaks well for the quality of stone and workmanship given.

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ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES.

Mrs. Thomas Worthington has donated to the department of history and political science several bank notes of old state banks. These notes have been appropriately framed and will be hung on the walls of the lecture room. They will be of great interest to the students studying in these departments. The new Illinois college catalogs came from the press last Tuesday. The catalog was prepared by a committee consisting of Professors Cole, Hayden and Whisler.

Professor Rollin H. Tanner, of the department of classics, expects to attend a meeting of the classical association of the middle west and south next Friday and Saturday at St. Louis. Professor J. G. Ames, of the department of English, has been invited to act as a judge at an oratorical contest of the students of the Barry high school on next Friday evening.

Principal S. O. Welday of Whipple academy went to Chicago on Friday to attend a banquet of the alumni of Ohio university. Professor Sherman Leavitt of the department of chemistry, will deliver a lecture on the evening of April 23 before the local Science and Mathematic Teachers' association on the conservation of mineral resources. The lecture will be given in the chemistry lecture room of Illinois college.

Coach W. T. Harmon and several students, including Robbins Russell, Durrell Hatfield an Stuart Russell, went out with the local militia company when it was ordered to Naples and Mercedosa.

The baseball candidates appeared on the athletic field in their suits a few days ago. There seems to be promising candidates for the several positions on the team with the exception of the pitchers box. However, most of the material is green and Coach Harmon will have to work hard to develop it.

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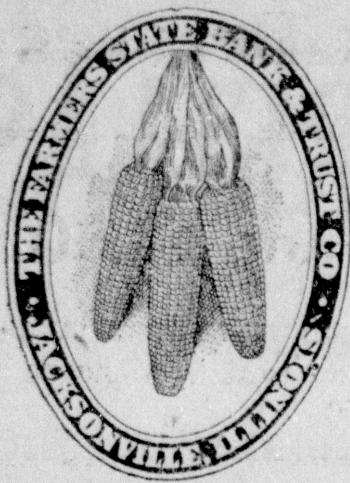
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CALIFORNIA DELEGATION CALLS ON SECRETARY BRYAN

Discuss Legislation Now Pending in California Prohibiting Alien Ownership of Lands.

Washington, April 5.—With one or two exceptions the entire California delegation in congress called upon Secretary of State Bryan today and discussed the legislation now pending before the California legislature prohibiting the alien ownership of lands. The delegation assured Secretary Bryan that Californians, regardless of party, were united in favor of the measure.

Secretary Bryan is particularly desirous of gathering information on this subject with special reference to the ascertainment of the degree to which the proposed prohibition may be in conflict with the existing treaty privileges of the Japanese in relation to the holding of lands in fee simple or under lease.

There have been intimations that if an attempt is made by the state legislature to deprive any foreigner of any treaty rights, and the legislators and the state executive prove impervious to corrective suggestion from the administration, a recourse will be had to the United States courts, to pass upon the constitutionality of the state's action.

Members of the delegation declared that regardless of consequences the people of California were determined to break up the Japanese colonies in the farming countries and to reserve the state for American labor and American landowners. Although Secretary Bryan consistently refuses to discuss the situation in any phase it is admitted he has given close attention and study in anticipation of the probability of a very grave issue in the near future.

CITY AND COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Spaulding are spending the day in Springfield.

Walter Hines of Alexander was a Saturday business visitor in Springfield.

William Hackman of Hulls, Ill., was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. P. E. Walter of Dallas City was among the Saturday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Samuel Mitchell of Waverly is spending Sunday with friends in the city.

George C. Washburn was a business caller in the city yesterday from New Berlin.

Mrs. W. R. Coultas and daughter Pearl were visitors in the city yesterday from Lynville.

Dr. L. W. Fulton of Alexander was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. M. Bunce and daughter Gary are visiting with relatives in Virginia over Sunday.

Gaines Purvines of Kansas City, Mo., was among those who attended the Fuller sale yesterday.

Misses Mamie and Lillian Collins were among the Saturday visitors in the city from Winchester.

Miss Flora Hall is spending the day with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Hall in Alexander.

J. A. Clark of R. F. D. No. 3 has moved his family to the city and will reside at 335 Michigan avenue.

Miss Ethel Mann and Mrs. M. Frank expect to go to Blue and Naples today to see the high water.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kumble spent Saturday at the home of their son, William Kumble at Alexander.

Mrs. George Mitchell and Mrs. Joseph Challans have returned to their homes in Waverly after a week's visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. G. W. Sargent has been called to Decatur on account of the serious illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. D. Sargent, who has typhoid fever.

Lloyd Brown, who came to Jacksonville for the Easter vacation and the Oregan-Brown wedding, returned last night to Illinois university.

Miss Margaret Carlton has returned to her home in Cleveland and Miss Besse Rindan to Springfield. Both young ladies were here for the rear-Brown wedding.

ALEXANDER VISITORS.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday from Alexander were Mrs. George Back, Mr. and Mrs. Erickson, John Lukeman, Theodore Berthold, George Wackerle, Thomas and William Cockin, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Strawn, Benjamin Davenport, Mrs. Charles Hagan, Miss Hazel Ferguson, J. B. Corrington and family, Oscar Lloyd, David Brown, Samuel Ruble, Miss Rose Luby, John Rief, Samuel Wilcox, Henry Strawn, Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strawn, J. W. Robinson, John Snyder and Ray Black.

THE TEMPERATURES.

The temperatures for Saturday, according to G. H. Hall, weather observer at Alexander, were, maximum 59 and minimum 31.

NEW CHURCH AT BLUFFS.

The members of the M. P. church of Bluffs have decided on a new office and the plans submitted by Architect Buckingham have been accepted. The building will probably cost between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

KEEP'S WEATHER RECORDS.

Charles O. Seymour of Franklin was a visitor in the city Saturday. He was recalling that a year ago yesterday and today the weather was remarkably fine.

Mr. Seymour has kept weather records for nine years.

MISS WILSON IN ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., April 5.—Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, arrived in St. Louis sixty hours late this afternoon, to attend a piano recital for the benefit of Goucher college, Baltimore, where she is a graduate.

Miss Wilson's train was delayed by the floods in Ohio and Indiana. After the recital tonight, a reception in honor of Miss Wilson was held. A tea in her honor was given at the home of Miss Helen Hayes this afternoon.

FIGHT FOR DIVORCE REFORM.

Chicago, April 5.—The fight for divorce reform in Illinois will be carried to the legislature Tuesday when members of the state commission will appear before the judiciary committee with their amendments to the laws governing marriage. The amendments provide for the appearance of the state's attorney in all divorce actions, for the right of appearance to be vested in co-respondents and for a thirty day notice before the issuance of marriage licenses.

OPERATOR DIES AT KEY.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 5.—While the ticker in the little telegraph of the railway station at Minneapolis Junction, just outside the city, called loudly for that office today, the operator, William McDonald, sat in his chair in front of the instrument, dead. He had expired suddenly from heart disease. The failure to answer a train dispatch signal caused an investigation, when McDonald was found dead in his chair.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO INITIATE BIG CLASS TODAY

Exercises Will Mark Opening of Splendid New Quarters in Ethnie Building.

The ninth initiation and banquet of the Jacksonville council No. 868, K. of C., will be the occasion of the opening of the new hall on East State St., in the Ethnie building today. A class of twenty-four insurance members and forty-one associate members will be installed. An excellent program of speeches has been arranged for the banquet, including Hon. Patrick J. Lucey, the attorney general of Illinois.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

The order will meet at their new hall at 10 o'clock in the morning and march in a body to the church of Our Savior, where they will attend mass at 10:30. At 1 o'clock they will again meet at the new hall and march to the Woodman hall on the south side of the square, where the initiatory ceremonies will take place. They then will return to the new hall for the banquet.

THE NEW HALL.

The new quarters of the order occupy the whole second story of the Ethnie building of East State street. They have been excellently furnished and will make a fine new home for the lodge, which has been occupying rooms on the north side of the square. The west side of the new quarters will be occupied by a parlor or reception room facing State street, toilet rooms, a secretary's office and at the northwest corner a club room. The eastern section facing the street will make up the council chamber, separated by folding doors from a banquet room behind. On special occasions like the celebration today these folding doors can be opened and banquet room and council chamber made into one large hall.

THE NEW MEMBERS.

The insurance members to be taken in are William Boland, Leo Cooney, Thomas Cooney, Charles Devlin, Joseph J. Downing, John J. Hagen, John M. Hagan, John M. Hagerty, John J. Hoban, T. C. Hooley, William E. Hooley, Thomas H. Hutton, L. H. Krause, Daniel J. Mahoney, Edgar McGinnis, John F. Mackey, Lawrence Roach, John A. Ross, Patrick Sheehan, Leo F. Sehy, James Sloan, John Sloan, Francis Sloan, John Shields and Thomas H. Quigley.

The following will be taken in as associate members: Hugh C. Bambrick, John Boland, John J. Buckley, Thomas Cain, Ambrose Carrigan, John W. Clancy, Edward J. Cody, Edward S. Collins, John E. Devlin, Paul J. Downey, Charles E. Flannigan, Harry Gordon, William H. Hanning, Edward Keating, John T. Kehoe, John E. Kendrick, Leo Killian, John Kinney, L. A. Lamarre, George J. Leonard, C. E. Loneragan, Frank Loneragan, James C. Loneragan, Charles Looby, William Looby, A. L. Lukeman, J. J. Maloney, John S. Mandeville, D. J. McDonald, William Meehan, James Meers, James E. Newall, Coy J. Palmer, John A. Roach, John T. Roach, J. E. Rogers, Charles M. Ryan, Terrance Sloan, Francis Swell, James E. Tobin, Arthur Topping, Richard S. Topping, Charles Watt, Felix J. Walsh, James Whalen, Thomas Whalen, Frank Wiggenjost.

After the feast has been completed the banquet program will be begun by William D. Harmon, Grand Knight, who will make an introductory speech and introduce the toastmaster, Dr. F. A. Norris. The other speakers will be: Patrick J. Lucey, attorney general, Springfield, Ill.; W. F. Woods, master of fourth degree, Champaign, Ill.; Leroy Hackett, state deputy, Chicago; Joseph J. Freiberg, district deputy, Quincy; R. M. O'Connell, deputy grand knight, Bloomington.

The membership committee consists of Leo J. McGinnis, chairman; Edward Cox, Charles Harmon, Scott Sweeney, John J. Ferry, James V. Kennedy, Ignatius Deja, Martin Ryan, Walter Morken and John Meany.

The committee chairmen are: Banquet—M. H. Carroll.

Hall—John J. Ferry.

Speaker—William M. Carroll.

Reception—James McGinnis.

Ticket—Arthur C. Kingsley.

Degree—W. T. Harmon.

GROCERY STORE AT STRAWN'S CROSSING.

Charles H. Curtis, who formerly conducted a grocery store on South Diamond street but recently sold out, will soon build a store at Strawn's Crossing. The building will be sixty feet long and fifty feet wide and modern in every way. Mr. Curtis has rented the house which was built at the time the elevator was erected and will start to move in tomorrow. Work on the new store will commence right away.

The farmers are pleased to know that they are going to have a store in their community and also feel that it will be a great incentive for the trains to make that a stopping place.

THE PRIMARIES.

The regular primary election for Morgan county will be held Tuesday, April 8.

The usual polling places will be used. Candidates for only one office, that of county commissioner, are to be named this election. One Republican, Peter D. McGinnis, is running, and two Democrats, Robert R. Coultas and Spencer Carpenter, William Mortimer is the Progressive candidate. The Socialist and Prohibition parties have made no nominations.

MEDICAL CLUB MEETS.

The Medical club met Saturday night in the office of Dr. George Briley, with a good attendance. Dr. Walter T. Treadway was the leader of the evening, his subject being, "Cardiac Arrhythmia." The paper showed a great deal of work and was illustrated by pulse tracings. A general discussion was held.

A straw vote was taken relative to the bond issue and it stood 2 1-2 to 1 against the proposition.

MUSIC AT GRACE CHURCH.

In connection with the usual music at Grace church Sunday in the morning worship, the quartet will sing "The King of Love My Shepherd," by Shelley, and Miss Beebe of the Woman's college will sing a solo.

In the evening the chorus will sing "And Out the Light," by Gounod, and Miss Helen Jones, a student at the Woman's college will give a solo.

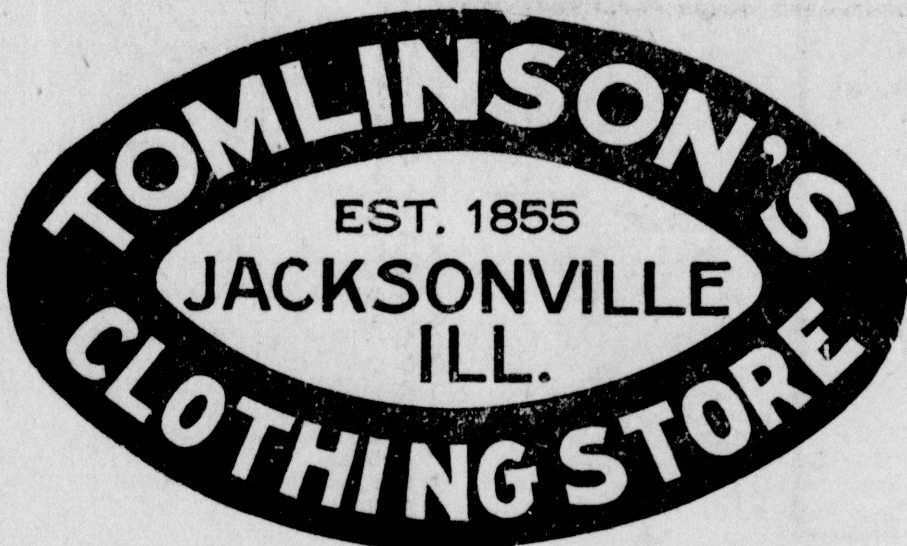
TO CONSTRUCT MAMMOTH TUNNEL.

Winnipeg, Man., April 5.—The Canadian Pacific railway announced today that it would begin construction shortly of the longest tunnel in America. The tunnel will be built through Kleeing Horse pass in the Rocky mountains, and will be sixteen miles long, costing \$14,000,000. It will take seven years, it is estimated, to build it. The great hole through the mountain will be four miles longer than the famous Simplon tunnel through the Alps.

Railroad officials assert that the construction of this tunnel will eliminate many miles of dangerous snow sheds.

TO OPEN IRRIGATION CANAL.

Stockton, Calif., April 5.—Arrangements have been made for a celebration tomorrow when the first water is turned into the South San Joaquin irrigation district. The district comprises 72,000 acres of South San Joaquin land.



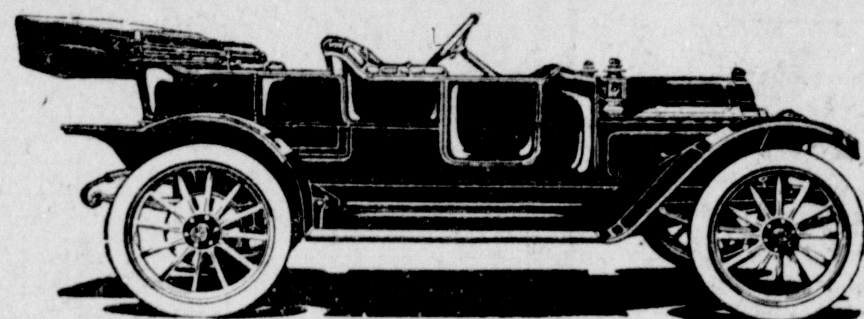
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ANNOUNCE PARCEL POST STATISTICS.

Washington, April 5.—More than 150,000,000 parcel post packages were mailed during the first three months the system was in operation, according to computations announced today by postal experts and based upon reports from the fifty largest postoffices. Approximately 55 per cent more business was handled in March than in January.

Chicago leads all other cities, 6,856,444 parcels being handled in two months; New York handled 5,973,975 and Boston 1,667,066.

THURMAN NAMED SOLICITOR.

Washington, April 5.—J. L. Thurman of Columbus, O., grandson of Allen G. Thurman, who was candidate for vice-president in 1888, is slated as solicitor for the committee of commerce. The appointment will be made, it is understood, early next week.

COLLECTOR LUCAS SUSPENDED.

Washington, April 5.—By direction of President Wilson, William H. Lucas, collector of customs at Jacksonville, Fla., has been suspended from duty to Secretary McAdoo. The treasury department declines to divulge the reason for the action.

MAY VOTE ON COMMISSION GOVERNMENT FOR KANSAS.

Topeka, Kan., April 5.—If the people of Kansas desire commission government for the state, Governor Hodges said today he would call a special session of the legislature to submit an amendment providing for the new form at the next election. The governor said he would poll the legislature to determine the sentiment of the voters.

Governor Hodges' plan, as outlined in a message to the last legislature, proposes the abolition of the legislature and in its place a commission made up of one or two members from each congressional district to make all the laws and administer the affairs of the state.

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Baptist-Escor.
Manuel Baptist and Miss Mary Escor, both of this city, surprised their friends Saturday by slipping away to Springfield and having their marriage celebrated there. The ceremony was solemnized at the Methodist church by Rev. A. C. Pier-sol with Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Baptist as the witnesses. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Escor of this city and is a young woman of splendid character and with many friends to wish her happiness. Mr. Baptist's parents live in the Island of Madeira. He is employed at the plant of the Illinois Steel Bridge company and is held in high esteem by all who know him. They will begin housekeeping at once on a farm owned by the groom on Route 8.

Mitts-Raines.
The marriage of Frederick Mitts, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitts of Carrollton and Miss Pansy B. Raine daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Raine of White Hall took place Saturday at high noon at the parsonage of Brooklyn M. E. church. Rev. Hy S. Alkire officiating. The bride is a leading school teacher of Greene county and the groom is a prominent farmer. The young people expected to leave the city this morning for a visit with relatives in Decatur. They will be at home to their friends on a farm near Carrollton after April 15.

Ball-McArthur.
The marriage of Miss Marjorie McArthur and Mr. Robert Edward Ball, will take place this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. George E. Matthews, 215 Webster avenue. Rev. H. H. Mitchell, rector of Trinity Episcopal church officiating. The bride and her mother are formerly from St. Louis and for several months have been making their home at Colonial Inn. The groom is the son of a well known attorney of Kansas City and has been an illustrator on the Kansas City Star. Following the marriage a wedding dinner will be served to the intimate relatives and friends of the bride and groom at the Matthews home, with Messrs. Vickery and Merrigan as caterers. The wedding journey will be concluded at Paris, where Mr. Ball will study in his chosen profession for a year.

LEAVE YOUR ORDERS EARLY IN THE WEEK AND AVOID THE RUSH LATER IN OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT. J. HERMAN.

SECOND WARD PRIMARY.
Republicans of the second ward are requested to meet in the circuit court room Tuesday night, April 8, to nominate a candidate for member of the board of education. Joseph D. Goveia, R. L. Dye, Committeemen.

LOOK AT OUR SPLENDID LINE OF SPRING COATS BEFORE PURCHASING YOUR WRAP AND GET THE NEWEST AND BEST FOR YOUR MONEY. J. HERMAN.

SUITS FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT.
A suit has been filed in the circuit court for hearing at the May term styled Swift & Co. vs. John Roach, trespass on the case on promise. Mrs. Maude Williams is seeking divorce from her husband, Claude Williams. They were married August 21, 1910, and lived together until March 7, 1911. Cruelty is the charge.

THOMAS HARRISON BUYS FINE NEW CADILLAC CAR
Mr. Thomas Harrison of Webster avenue has purchased a Cadillac car from S. W. Babb, the Cadillac agent. The car is to be delivered April 15th and will be a 30 horse power, five passenger touring car, with body and chassis done in Cadillac blue.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.
The residence and household goods of the late W. J. Brewer at Murrayville were sold Saturday afternoon by his administrator, J. E. Thompson. The purchaser was J. H. Spencer and the consideration \$252.50.

THE BIRTH RECORD.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Russell of Woodson, a daughter.

LOCAL T. P. A. POST HELD ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Order is in Prosperous Condition—Delegates Chosen to State and National Conventions.

The annual election of Post O of the Travelers Protective association was held Saturday night when there was a large attendance of members. Twenty-three new applications were received and these members will bring the total enrolled up almost to the three hundred mark. The affairs of the post are in a very flourishing condition. The election resulted in the selection of the following officers: President, R. S. Fanning; first vice-president, J. A. Munson; second vice president, Louis Cain; third vice president, R. M. Wakely; directors, Alfred Doolittle, Walter Loneragan, H. B. Myers, C. K. Moore.

Delegates were chosen as follows, to the national convention, J. A. Munson, R. M. Wakely, C. F. Ehnie; alternates, R. S. Fanning, Thomas Cain, Thomas Walsh. State convention—E. L. Kinney, J. A. Munson, R. S. Fanning, H. B. Myers, C. K. Knollenberg, F. L. Sharpe, C. K. Moore, Walter Loneragan, J. W. Chipchase, Thomas Walsh, Herman Cohen, W. S. Ehnie, S. R. Block, James Sullivan, J. N. Conover, Louis Cain, Alfred Doolittle, Leon Yaeger, L. H. Krane, D. A. Schafnit, LeRoy Craig, Thos. Cain, Charles Cummings, I. G. Blair, W. D. Gates, James Leith, J. J. Wintler, Lloyd Hamilton, G. T. McKean, R. M. Wakely, C. F. Ehnie. Alternates—W. C. White, U. G. Woodman, E. D. Pyatt, Frank Byrns, S. Quisenberry, John Spears, George Wintler, C. T. Mackness, E. J. Merriman, Sherman Smith, A. J. Gebert, Charles Sheppard, Wm. Heintz, G. W. Brady, Thos. Jenkinson, Charles Sanders, James Thompson, Harry Livingston, John Sutter, W. F. O'Donnell, F. L. Van Meter, W. H. McCarthy, J. Workman, Anton Graef, Frank Wilson, Olin Cain, G. L. Rose, F. K. Stride, C. H. Bennett, W. R. Jones.

ANOTHER LOT OF NOBBY SILK DRESSES IN FOULARD, CREPE DE CHINE, MESSALINES AND LEO-LIN CLOTH JUST RECEIVED AT HERMAN'S.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Robert Riley by heirs to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Middleton, land in section 35; \$1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Parker to W. H. Luken, part lot 14 Yates & Coffman's addition to Jacksonville. Arthur L. Black to W. S. Spencer Jr., part lot 2, Lorton & Kedzie's addition; \$1.

CAMPAIGN FOR MEMBERS.
C. F. Ehnie, state president of the T. P. A. yesterday mailed out 4500 application blanks. He sent one to each member in the state with an earnest appeal that the member secure one new application.

SEALED BIDS.
will be received until April 10, 1913, for the labor in painting eleven houses. For further particulars call at Cherry's Livery office.

SOCIAL EVENTS.
A pleasant birthday surprise was given Mrs. H. J. Wyatt of 465 East Oak street Thursday by a number of neighbors and friends. The occasion was also a celebration of the recent recovery of Mrs. Wyatt from an illness of most of the winter. Substantial refreshments were brought by the guests at well as a number of beautiful presents for their hostess. Those present were Mrs. James Sheppard, Mrs. Charles Meader, Mrs. Florence Sernly, Mrs. Mattie Brown and daughters Mildred and Helen, Mrs. McHenry, Mrs. Robert Asher, Mrs. Charles Patterson and daughter Helen, Mrs. David Odaffer and Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt.

BURROWING ANIMALS WEAKENED MEREDOSIA LEVEE
Evidence that they Really Cause Break Ate Now Apparent.

The interesting fact has developed that the levee of the Meredosia Drainage and Levee District gave way under the pressure of high water because weakened by the burrowing of ground hogs, muskrats and animals of that class. The earth now shows plainly where these animals burrowed their way far into the foundations of the levee and weakened it to such an extent that it could not withstand the force of the water. In the Sul Levee district along the Mississippi the attacks of these animals are constantly guarded against. The levee is constantly patrolled and when discovered the animals are killed and the places where they have worked are filled with earth which is tamped in. Pike county pays a bounty for animals in order to encourage their extinction.

SENIORS AT I. W. C. PREPARE AND SERVE MEALS
A demonstration of the work that is being done in the domestic science department of the Woman's college was given Saturday. The girls participating were Misses Helen Ingalls, Agnes Rogerson and Mabel Stoltz, who will graduate this year. Thirteen meals were served, with some members of the faculty as guests. breakfast at 7:15, lunch at 1 o'clock and dinner at 6 o'clock. At the three different meals the girls alternated and acted as hostess, cook and waitress. Miss Lucy Gillett is the director of this department.

INJURED THUMB SEVERELY.
John Rawlings, track foreman of the Illinois traction system had the misfortune to lacerate the thumb of his right hand Saturday morning, while sharpening some tools.

BUY MOTORCYCLES.
Tom Abel of this city, Fletcher Mathers and Albert Yardling, both of Chapin, have each purchased a 5-35 Harley Davidson motorcycle from A. R. Myrick.

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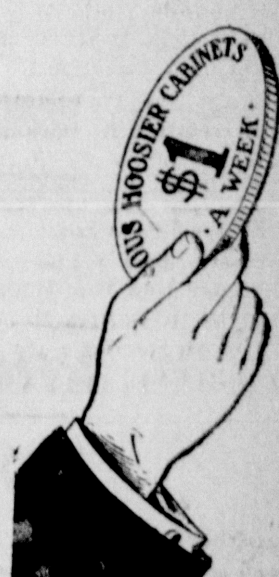
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MORTUARY

Hanback.
Nancy J. Hanback died at the Jacksonville State Hospital Friday night at 7 o'clock. The deceased was 63 years of age.

The remains were taken to the Reynolds undertaking establishment and Saturday were sent to Alsey for interment.

Harris.
Mills Harris, aged 65 years, died at the Jacksonville State Hospital Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

The remains were taken to the Reynolds undertaking establishment and Saturday sent to Springfield for interment.

Schultz.
Miss Wilhelmina Schultz died Saturday morning at 7:25 o'clock at the Jacksonville State Hospital. The deceased was born in Germany and was 79 years of age.

The remains were taken to the Reynolds undertaking establishment and Saturday night were sent to Dallas City for burial.

A SPLENDID LOT OF NEW LIN-GERIE WAISTS JUST ARRIVED AT HERMAN'S.

LETTER WITHOUT STAMP.
George Vasconcellos received a letter from Dayton, Ohio, which did not have a stamp on it. Where the stamp should have been was the word "Flood," which would signify that the government was sending out mail for the sufferers.

DO YOU ENJOY EATING?

Or Does Anything You Eat Distress You.

Experts declare that the reason stomach disorders are so common in this country is due to hasty and careless habits of eating. Stomach troubles and run down conditions also usually go together.

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I will send you maps and printed matter and answer your questions—and then you can join one of our homeseekers' parties which I will tell you about, and at small expense you can go out and see exactly what you can have. Surely for any one who has a wish to better himself and family this is the chance of a lifetime. Write me a postal and say you want to know about government land in Wyoming and state whether you are interested in irrigated land or land not irrigated.

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LETTER FROM PARIS.

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, April 5.—The study of the psychology of sport will form a special feature of the coming olympic congress at Lausanne.

Hitherto sport has been looked upon principally as a medium of physical improvement, but recently French scientists have been examining the intellectual effects of various games. First observations would seem to show that besides the development of semi-moral qualities such as courage and perseverance, each game or exercise has certain special characteristics which act on and improve the mind.

The olympic congress, starting from this basis, proposes to ask a number of leading devotees of every form of sport to analyze the various phenomena observable in themselves and other athletes. Questions will be asked concerning the origin of the taste for sports; whether due to natural, general or special aptitudes; to heredity or to instinct; and to what extent the spirit of imitation or will-power is responsible. Then the continuity and method of cultivating the taste: Is it inherent to the personality? Is it born physically from a species of muscular automatism, of a desire for fresh air—or is it implanted in individuals by the ambition to be beautiful, healthy and strong, or merely to be applauded?

Finally the results: does training cause excessive fatigue to the body? does it produce a greater power of physical resistance, the development of will-power and self-confidence? does it lead to mental equipoise and a philosophic attitude towards life and conduct?

It is expected that the data obtained will prove of great value, and form the foundation of a new branch of experimental psychology of importance to educationalists.

Rifle shooting is to the Swiss people what baseball is to Americans, their national sport. The Swiss are the crack rifle shots of Europe, and if there is any truth in the old adage that practice makes perfect, they ought to be, for last year they expended thirty million ball cartridges on private rifle ranges. This is quite aside from the practice conducted by the government in connection with the army maneuvers.

The growing popularity of rifle shooting by the citizens of Switzerland is shown by the fact that ten years ago only fourteen million cartridges were expended for perfection in this art. Today there is not a Swiss boy over sixteen years old who cannot handle a military rifle with accuracy, and many women also are good shots. During the last ten years the Swiss teams have been victorious in every international contest they ever entered, and much interest attaches here to the showing they will make in the coming international rifle shooting competition in the United States.

It is the ambition of nearly every Swiss to become a first-class shot, and he will cheerfully spend his money for cartridges to attain his object. The national love for shooting is encouraged and helped in every way by the military authorities.

Turin will hold this spring an art exhibition the purpose of which is to remove the impression that women are far behind men in the field of fine arts. An exhibition with such a purpose is unique in Europe, and while it is not an effort to further the cause of women in the generally accepted sense, it is one of the first evidences in Italy that Italian women are responding to the feminist movement that finds its expression in America and England in the demand for the ballot.

The exhibition, to give it its full title, the Woman's International Exhibition of Fine Arts, will be held in the beautiful Valentino park, well known through the international exhibition of two years ago, which also had its site there. It is expected that the contributions will number over one thousand, of which about half will come from distant parts of Italy, but almost every country in the world will be represented. As it is inevitable, some have limited artistic value, while others are wonderfully good, showing in some cases veritable genius. But all are interesting, as showing the directions in which women are working in art. And there are contributions from all classes of society, from royal ladies to humble peasants.

The Countess of Flanders, mother of the king of Belgium, has sent her contribution, while another exhibit of exceptional interest is a work in marble by Mrs. Robert F. Scott, widow of the English explorer, who lost his life at the south pole. A noticeable feature of this exhibition is that a majority of the works of art come from such countries as Italy, Hungary, Ireland, etc., where the campaign for the recognition of the rights of woman has not as yet made great headway.

In contrast to the large sums of money often expended by the state in America to bring notorious criminals to justice, is the very small sum it has cost Paris to effect the conviction or acquittal of 22 men and women, the automobile bandits, who were charged with a long series of murders and robberies.

This case cost the French government exactly \$1,600. Of this \$2,000 went for the expenses of the actual trial; court fees, witnesses' allowances, cost of serving subpoenas, etc., while the rest was spent in the preliminary investigation by the judge, who sifts the evidence obtained by the police and decides if a trial is justified.

Of the nineteen men and three women placed on trial four were condemned to death, four were acquitted and fourteen were given various terms of imprisonment.

The people of Paris can today witness a rare thing, a foreign naval vessel moored in the heart of their inland city. This is the British survey ship Rose, just starting on a voyage that will take her completely across

France before she reaches the waters of the Mediterranean.

The Rose is going out to do surveying on the river of Gambia. She is of too slight draft to face the spring gales in the Bay of Biscay, so the British navy department asked the French government if she could make use of the inland water ways of France.

After much consideration the ministry of public works devised a combination of canals with the requisite depth, drafted out an itinerary and gave permission for the Rose's passage through France. The vessel sailed from Southampton to Havre, where she entered the Seine; from Paris she will go by various canals to the Rhone, coming to the sea again at Marseilles.

The Rose is commanded by Captain Geoffrey Simson of the royal navy.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The building committee of the Christian church of Winchester, Ill., hereby gives notice that they are ready to receive bids for the erection of a new church building.

The plans and specifications for same may be had by applying to A. B. Groves, architect, 314 N. Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo., or J. C. Reynolds, Winchester, Ill.

All bids must be sealed and will be opened before the whole committee on May 3, 1913. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

All bids must be accompanied by a guarantee that same is made in good faith and that contract will be accepted if awarded.

By order of the committee, April 3, 1913.

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COUNTY VISITORS.

Among the visitors in the city Saturday from Waverly were Mrs. Oscar Rohrer, Mrs. Edward Roach, Mrs. Alfred Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeTurk, Miss Ruth Curtis, Miss Madeline Ashbaugh, Misses Neil and Stella Rogers and Louis Roads.

Among the visitors from Woodson in the city Saturday were Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons and son Floyd, Misses Agnes and Marie Megginson, Dr. G. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. David Harding, Miss Meda Gallagher, Dayton Mawson, and Isaac Watson.

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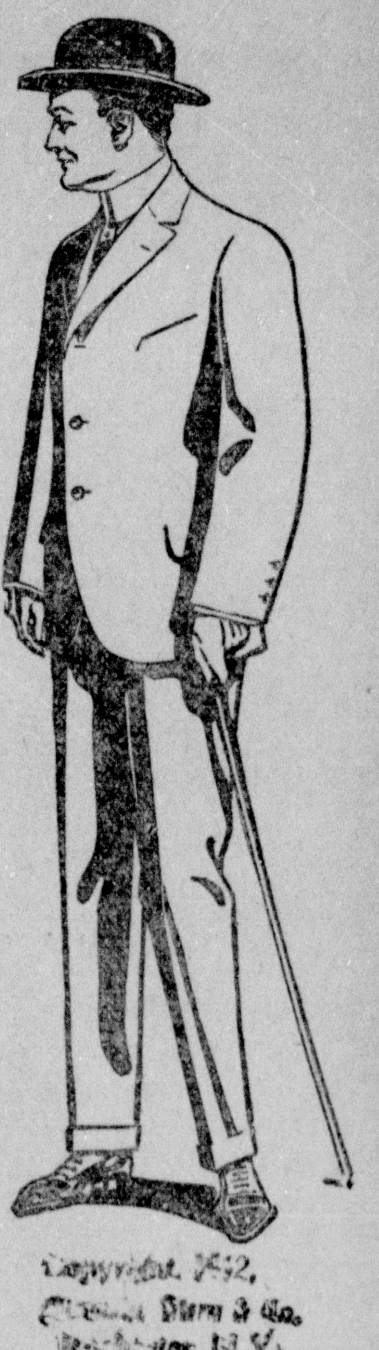
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President Wilson has announced that he will make but one public speech this year. He makes no promise as to his cabinet.

Of China's total importations \$3.5 per cent come from this country. In view of our recognition of that country the amount ought to be many times that in a few years.

If we are too keep up our reputation as a beautiful city, even a part of the year, we must use a little money in illuminating our streets—so that people walking home at night be not forced to carry lanterns.

Only 83 years ago this week Chicago was founded. The town site was not surveyed until several years later. It is difficult to conceive the changes wrought in that comparatively brief time.

Pennsylvania has ratified the amendment to the federal constitution for direct election of United States senators. That makes 35 states that have ratified; only one more is required for its adoption.

One does not think much of South America when contemplating the business which American arms are doing abroad, but the consular reports show that our exports of chemicals, drugs and dyes sent to that continent in 1912 amounted to \$3,474,777.

Over at Clinton, Iowa, they are installing a new electric lighting system, but they are doing it under a new plan—a special assessment, one-half paid by the city, the remainder to be paid by abutting property.

Although the United States has practically recognized the Chinese Republic, yet formal recognition has not been officially announced. Our government is among the first of the nations to publicly express confidence in the Chinese Republic.

"Lightning often strikes twice or more than twice in the same place." This official declaration by the department of agriculture disposes of a venerable maxim. But the evidence against it is unanswerable. Some trees, it has been found, favorably located for attracting the flash, bear seven or eight scars, all visible. The same thing is true of certain rock summits and buildings. One observer has noted 907 cases of lightning strokes, of which 21 were repeated strokes.

The State Register is authority for the statement that a woman of prominence in Washington gave it as her opinion at one of the sessions of the Illinois senate committee investigating the white slave evil, that one of the remedies for the evil would be the placing of a heavy tax on bachelors. This opinion was endorsed by Senator Beall of Alton, a member of the committee, who has introduced a bill taxing bachelors. Why not make marriage compulsory? Just as sensible.

We have received from Ginn & Co., publishers, Boston, a book of practical value, not only to children but to people of all ages interested in gardening. "School and Home Gardens," by W. H. D. Meier, head of the department of biology and school gardening at the Massachusetts Normal school. It gives definite instructions for arranging, planting and caring for plants. Several chapters are given up to the work of the school garden in Griggsville, Ill., together with illustrations showing the work in our neighboring town. Price, 50c.

Brandeis, of Boston, the man who would save millions in the management of railroads, has made a statement apropos of the locomotive fireman's strike, that if they were taught how to shovel coal so as to prevent waste, the railroads could pay more and still save money. He says: "A better way would be to

educate the firemen not to waste so much coal, to educate them to conserve their fuel. To do so would result in a saving of between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000 annually to the railroads of the country. Out of that amount the wages of the firemen could be increased, and still leave a surplus. The railroads of this country spend annually close to \$220,000,000 for fuel alone. If the firemen were taught scientific and economical methods of firing and careful conservation, the firemen could be paid an increase out of the difference."

DELUDED VICTIMS.

Bloomington has been worked by a set of promoters who averred that there is a large estate in England belonging to the Drake heirs ready for distribution as soon as the proper proofs were made. The supposed heirs raised \$21,000 and sent it to the attorneys. Nothing more was heard of the affairs and a meeting of the contributors was held in order to discover where the money had gone to. No satisfaction was obtained, and the meeting broke up in a row. The money is lost. The parties who received it discreetly refused to make any accounting, beyond the general statement that it was swallowed up in expense. This is another illustration of the foolishness of pursuing these so-called European claims. There is nothing in them and they are devised by a set of sharking lawyers to swindle the unwary. It has been but a few years since the people in this city were deluded into putting up good cash to push a claim against the government and the money lost to investors. There are plenty of plausible schemes to separate a man from his dollars.

WHO IS THE BOSS.

Followers of Roger Sullivan are taking alarm at indications that Secretary Bryan will be a power in the distribution of the spoils in this state. It is said that congressmen who have been accounted strong friends of Sullivan and his state committee are hedging and ignoring claims of the faithful, and in some instances are pushing the names of a few from the powers that be at Washington this night, politically speaking, be suicidal. Two months ago the state of important Illinois appointments had been made up for approval of the president by the state committee. This slate included the names of men representing all of the various Democratic factions, but on it appeared no man who was personally objectionable to the state organization. "Irreconcilables" were ignored altogether. Since that time there has been a complete reversal of the program. The organization folks are now out in the cold and that change is attributed to Secretary Bryan, who in the past has suggested much from the fight made on him by the Sullivan faction controlling the Democratic machinery in Illinois. Jacksonville Democrats who have been faithful to Mr. Bryan and encouraged and we hope justly. Yet later returns may change the result. Roger is a resourceful politician.

THE GLORIOUS CLIMATE.

An Iowa man who has been in San Francisco and seen the bread and butter in the cold and whether it is from San Francisco or Los Angeles, unless they go there merely to spend the money they have made. San Francisco is already over-run with the hordes who expect to get work putting up the exposition buildings and the authorities hardly know what to do with the homeless men. Even if they get work, the work lasts for only a short time. The same writer says that the frost in January blighted much of Southern California's prosperity for years to come.

In this connection J. N. Gridley, formerly of Virginia, who some time ago moved to a place near Los Angeles,

California, writes to "retract certain lies which I repeated to Illinois friends—misstatements handed to me by Californians who perhaps 'knew better.' Gridley, who is careful to state that he is not in the real estate business, adds:

"One lie was that there are no hard winds in this state. I was reading in an advertisement issue of a Los Angeles newspaper last month, that there were never hard winds in the Golden State, and I remembered seeing but a few days before two large palm trees lying by the roadside a few miles east of this city, which had but recently been uprooted and cast to the earth by a California 'breeze.' Last December there was a furious wind that blew all day, which covered railroads with sand to such an extent as to delay trains, and gangs of men were employed with shovels that traffic might be unobstructed. Miss Clark, a former teacher of the Virginia high school, who now lives near Seattle, tells me she was gravely informed that cyclones never happened on the Pacific coast, but that she had seen in a nearby forest large trees that had been twisted until they fell to the earth, which reminded her of the work of some of the 'twisters' that sometimes visit Illinois, not forgetting Virginia, Ill.

"When it comes to climate, it is very hard for any one to tell the truth about it. Some Republican politician once said that he had many good friends among the Democrats whom he could trust in all cases but one, but he would not trust one of them with a ballot box in an alley at midnight, and the truthfulness of climate, if he exists, is a very rare specimen. There was quite a freeze here in December, 1911; I was a visitor a month later and heard many say there had never been such cold weather in California as that. This present winter has been much colder than the previous one, and often I have heard there was never before anything like it. I found the temperature as low as twenty degrees, which is pretty good winter weather back in Illinois. It was cold enough to almost annihilate the lemon crop and greatly damage oranges.

"But this this freeze was not 'the coldest ever.' I have found a resident here whom I knew as a boy 50 years ago; he has a fine orange grove and he told me that on the night of February, 13, 1903, the mercury at his home sank to 18 degrees and oranges froze solid; the following morning the temperature was 20 degrees and the next 22 degrees and thus the cold departed gradually."

HAVE FAITH.

Members of our present city commission were elected by a majority of the voters of the city, only two years ago, to serve for four years. They were the first officials selected after the adoption of that famous "commission form of government" that was to remedy all ills, to make all things right in our municipal government. It was to be our salvation, when the city was placed in the hands of five men instead of twelve.

All but one of the present commissioners were elected by the people.

Under the law under which the city is at present working, the members-elect have power to fill all vacancies occurring in their own body whether by death or resignation.

As the result of a deplorable tragedy, causing the death of Member Charles Brown, a vacancy occurred. The members of the commission selected Joseph Brennan as his successor. Brennan was a man of good character, well versed in mechanical lines, and since his appointment has made a close study of the electric lighting system of the city.

He found the plant in wretched shape. Mr. Brown, before his death, had repeatedly called attention to the

overloaded condition of the plant. Brennan has devoted a great part of his time to consideration of the question, has studied the latest and most approved methods and its cost. He is foresighted enough to be unwilling to build for the day—he is looking after tomorrow as well in estimating the cost of the new plant.

He is a thorough man. He has made a statement to the public giving his estimate of the cost and of how the commission proposes to use the money asked for. Mr. Brennan is a fairly successful man in his own business, his entire life has been lived in Jacksonville.

His entire interests are here. Brennan is a man of high business reputation and as a man, such a reputation as should make a guarantee to all who know him that he believes the improvement is needed, and that the money received by the sale of the bonds asked for will be honestly expended. It is his department—he is supposed to be in charge of its expenditure.

Brennan is the only man in the commission not elected by the people, but, we believe that he is a man worthy of confidence. Let the men who aided in the election of the other members show their confidence in the men of their choice.

We cannot afford to defeat a much needed improvement by reason of prejudice or unfounded suspicion, or for the reason that the commission has not enforced some laws now on our ordinance books as some people think they should have done.

Because we all know the improvement asked for is needed.

A diagram showing the proposed boulevard lights around the square and for several blocks in each direction has attracted some attention for several days in the Journal windows. And the increase in lighting carried on throughout the city will keep pace with that in the business district. It would give us one of the best lighted cities in the state, and be in marked contrast with what we have had for several years. It is what we need. It will be a long step out of the rut in which we have been traveling. It would light up not only the dark places in our streets, but would illuminate the path by which we may reach greater unity of action in forwarding the advancement of the city. We believe it would enlighten the minds, even of many who grope in the darkness of despondency who believe there is only one sane and honest person in the city, and that one themselves.

A little later an election will be held, regarding certain franchises. Then will come a time when it will simply be a question of public policy—and the people and the newspapers will be at perfect liberty to express their opinions, both at the time the commission is discussing the terms of the franchises, and at the election for its approval or disapproval.

We desire the greatest good to the greatest number in the bargains to be made with corporations asking franchises from the city.

We desire the greatest good to the welfare of all our people in the adoption of a lighting system that will benefit every property owner in Jacksonville.

Just now the only question before the people is: Will you vote for or against the issuance of bonds to enable us to rehabilitate our electric lighting system? All others are bogus.

CONTINUE MARE ISLAND YARD. Washington, April 5.—Secretary Daniels of the navy department today decided that the Mare Island navy yard at San Francisco should be continued as yard for first class.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES.

Miss Barbara Erwin of Chicago is visiting Miss Ruby Neville. Miss Erwin was the one who went with Miss Neville on her trip to Palestine.

Miss Elsie Grantham of Lexington, Neb., is visiting her sister, Miss Pauline, a student at the college.

A great deal of interest is being manifested in Dr. Steiner's appearance here the 6th of May. Some different organizations are endeavoring to make arrangements with him to give a talk to them the afternoon of the day he appears. Dr. Steiner is one of the big men of the country and Jacksonville is very fortunate in being able to secure his services.

Miss C. A. Wilson left Saturday morning for a short trip to Chicago. Monday night Misses Ruth Harker and Mildred Barton entertained a number of the first year academy teachers.

Miss Knof, head of the art department, returned Tuesday from her visit to the art exhibit in Chicago. The college has had a number of splendid musicals this week. On Tuesday night Madam Ryder appeared. Thursday afternoon a strong pupils' recital and Friday night Calza gave a strong program. All of these have been previously reported.

Dr. Harker left Saturday afternoon for Waverly and Palmyra, where he will preach the educational sermons Sunday.

Saturday night the Sophomores presented the burlesque, "The Lamentable Tragedy of Julius Caesar." This is a very clever idea thoroughly

worked out by the young women. This stunt was given last year and was greatly enjoyed by a large audience.

In the domestic science department Saturday and Monday the following young women gave their formal luncheons: Misses Rogerson, Stoltz, Ingalls, Taylor, Freeman and Helst. On Friday evening, April 11th, the expression department of the college presents a comedy and farce. These two entertainments will be greatly worth while. The proceeds from them will be used toward the endowment fund which the college specials have pledged to raise. The following program will be given:

The Pipe of Peace, a comedy in one act, by Margaret Cameron.

Characters:
Joseph Terriel Floyd Williamson
Gladys Terriel Francis Frazer
Molly Elizabeth Metcalf
The Obstinate Family, a farce in one act.

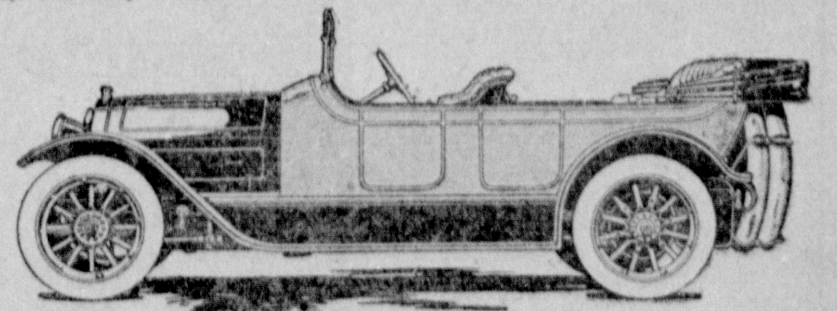
Characters:
Lucy Esther Rice
James Alma Harmel
Mr. Harwood Nance Schirring
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Mrs. Harwood Katherine Aldrich
Jessie Harford Ida Perry
Monday, April 7th, Mrs. Hartman gives her recital. Announcement of this has been made. All friends are cordially invited to be present.

TWO MORE BODIES FOUND.

Peru, Ind., April 5.—A small boy searching among the debris in the canal this afternoon saw a hand protruding from the mud. Men dug out the bodies of Harry Glinther and his daughter, increasing the known fatalities of the recent flood to eleven.

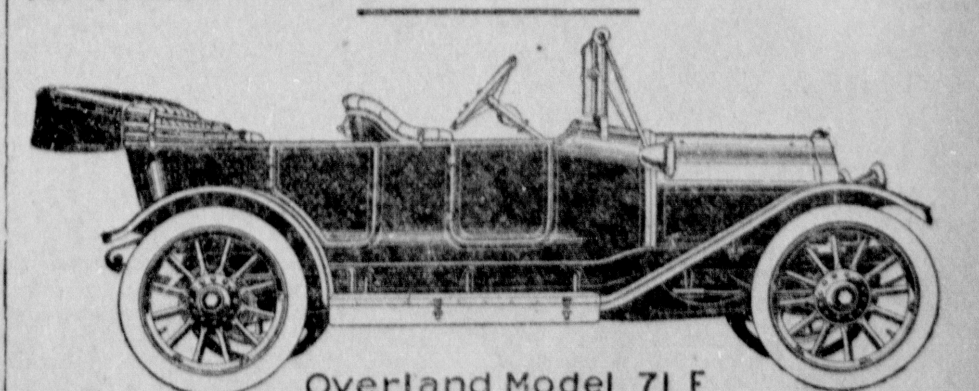
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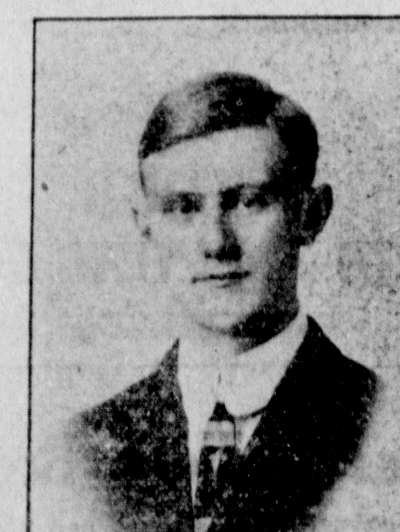
W. G. Bate, Class Officer.

The graduating class of the Jacksonville high school for this year numbers 68, which is next to the largest class the institution ever sent out. Through the kindness of the management of the "Crimson J," the high school annual, just issued, the Journal is permitted to print the above cuts of this year's graduates. As has been formerly announced the valedictorian of the class is William Kithner with an average for the four years work of 92.3. Others whose marks were above ninety are Ezra Hurwitz, Ruth Brittenham, Alma Wiegand, Adelaide McCarty, Myrtle Schell. There are twelve or fourteen students, who have had one or more school years in some other high school, but a large per cent of them have come up through the grades of the city. It is estimated that perhaps one-half of the class will pursue their course further next year. Some are planning to go to college, teachers' schools and some will attend the University of Illinois. The Harvard club of Chicago is offering a scholarship to the various high schools of the country and next June an examination will be held under the supervision of County Superintendent Montgomery, for state scholarships in the University of Illinois, and in both of these the students will attempt the examinations. As has been formerly announced Prof. H. A. Shyrook of Carbondale will be the speaker at commencement time, Thursday night, May 29, the exercises being held at the Grand opera house. His subject will be "Making a Living." The graduating class are all bright and active students and in all lines of school work have displayed much ability. On account of a wish of the class, there will be no students appearing on the program graduating night, consequently the Seniors intend to make a great deal of class day and a program of unusual interest is being worked out.

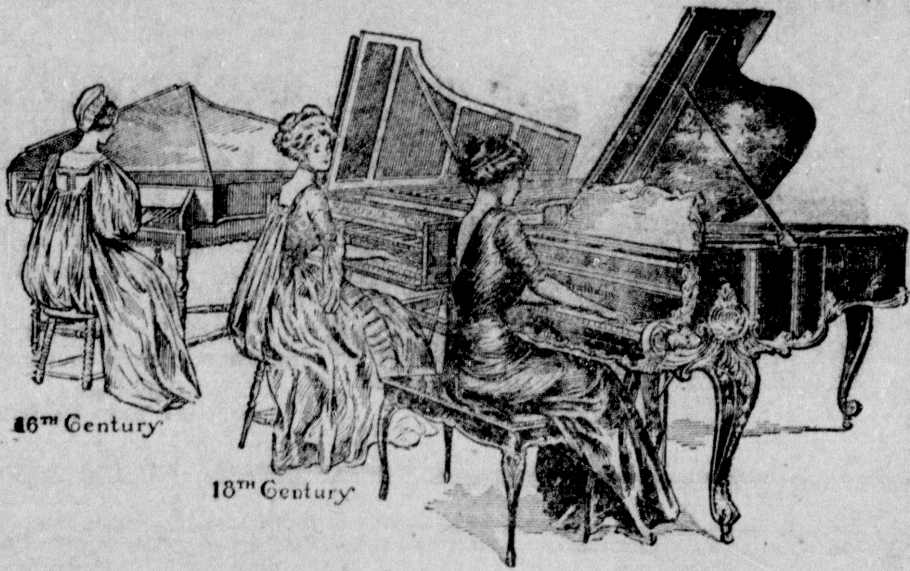
Superintendent Blossom of Pittsfield was to have been in the city Saturday to confer with Principal W. A. Gore, relative to the Western Illinois high school meet which is to be held in Jacksonville, May 2. On account of high water Superintendent Blossom was not able to be here and consequently the conference has had to be postponed. The local management is planning to make the W. I. H. S. L. meet the largest in the history of the organization. The meet will be advertised more extensively and a big effort will be made to have railroad facilities such that each school can send over a big delegation. It is also planned to have each school represented to work the meet up at their school so that not only will school children come but their friends will take advantage of the opportunity to come to Jacksonville at that time. The meet as usual will be held on the Illinois track, which is one of the best equipped in this part of the state. The students of Illinois college will act as officials of the day and nothing will be left undone to make the visitors have the best time of their lives.

On Friday night, April 11 the students are planning to put on one of the best vaudevilles that has ever been connected with the school. It will be held in the auditorium of the school and will consist of eight big acts. The following are the acts:

- Act 1. The Best Man, (a comedy in one act), Characters, Lloyd Reynolds, Grace Potter, Clara Lane, Harold Williamson.
- Act 2. A Musical Trio, A brier Jackson, Homer Reid and Raymond Davis.
- Act 3. Saxophone—Frank Robertson and Homer Potter.
- Act 4. Musical—Mandolin, James Capps; guitar, T. P. Carter.
- Act 5. Singing—Irene Spears.
- Act 6.—Dialogue, "German Dialect"—Francis Rantz and Harold Williamson.
- Act 7.—Clog performance—Orrel Rutledge, accompanied by James Capps on mandolin.
- Act 8.—Singing—William L. Allcott.



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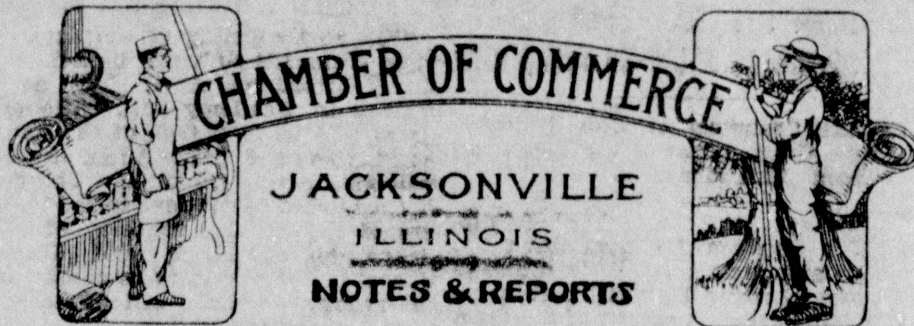


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Light Question.

This is certainly a question and one that is so important that it should be capitalized with a large capital "Q." Jacksonville without a doubt is the poorest lighted city in the great state of Illinois. Jacksonville is known far and near for its poor water and lights. These two factors build a city. We have been struggling along with such as we at the present time possess, because we have never stood together and fought for an agreed proposition. We are hopelessly divided. Three or four divisions are not injurious, but when it numbers into the tens, it is time for us to stop and see in what direction we are heading. Not to ruin to be sure, but not in keeping Jacksonville tomorrow in the same position as she was twenty-five years ago. Never will this be possible unless some of us are willing to give and take. Let's get together. Old heads, young men and all make Jacksonville a well lighted city. This together doctrine is as old as man, but we do not seem to appreciate its significance.

The following poem should be the sentiments of all:

Do you know there's lots o' people
Settin' round in every town
Growin' like a broody chicken,
Knockin' every good thing down?
Don't you be that kind o' cattle;
'Cause they ain't no use no use
on earth.
You just be a booster rooster,
Crow and boost for all you're
worth.

If your town needs boostin',
boost'er

Don't hold back and wait and see
If some other feller's willin'.
Sail right in, this country's free;
No one's got a mortgage on it.
It's just yours as much as his,
If your town is shy on boosters,
You get in the boostin' biz.

If things don't just seem to suit you,
An' the world seems kinder
wrong,

What's the matter with a boostin'.
Just to help the thing along;
'Cause if things should stop again,
We'd be in a sorry plight.
You just keep that horn a-blowin',
Boost'er up with all your might.

If you know some feller's failin',
Just forget 'em, 'cause you know
That same feller's got some good
points—
Them's the ones you want to
show;
'Cast your leaves out on the waters'

They'll come back," 's a saying true,
Maybe they'll come back "battered"
When some feller boosts for you.

A well lighted square and business district mean the shopper will follow up the advertisements in the daily press. Instead of a few dozen we will have a few hundred visiting our retail district every night. "Mr. Merchant, wouldn't your attractive window displays be an advertisement that would sell goods for you?" Traveling men have given Evansville the name of being the best lighted city in the middle west, due to the fact that the business men have had the enterprise to want light. Fine clustered posts are placed six to a block and the Evansville business streets are great white ways.

The merchants free transportation department of the Chamber of Commerce has had printed and are distributing 10,000 folders in Jacksonville and the most important adjacent towns. This is the first piece of advertising which the organization has published, and points out why Jacksonville is the logical trading center for this part of the state.

Judicious advertising pays, is undisputed, but all of us are not agreed on how it is to be classified. The persons living on the outside are not supposed to know that it is to their advantage to trade with the Jacksonville merchants; that her schools and colleges can-

not be surprised; that it is a desirable place to live, etc., unless the message is carried to them.

The Chamber of Commerce should have \$5,000 a year to be spent in legitimate publicity. Some of our members who never advertise will question the expenditure of such a sum for such a purpose, but our success in bringing more people here depends on first interesting them in our city.

The various committees for the educational festival to be held in Jacksonville August 21-31, have been appointed and are laying their plans to make this an important event. Last year, in spite of the lateness of the hour in preparations, the chautauqua was firmly established here. This year should herald it as being much more than of just a community importance.

Dr. Carl E. Black, chairman, has in mind the features that will enthrall and attract more than just the ordinary sort of chautauqua program. These will grow during each coming year.

The secretary has now orders for about 35,000 chautauqua envelopes costing \$1.20 a 1,000 without business card. This will mean that eventually they are bound to cost more than the ordinary blank envelope. As a money making proposition the flyer has been raised in Wichita and surrounding country. They are printed for the purpose of advertising our educational festival far and near, and there is not one business man who sends many letters out of town that should not be a booster to the extent of ordering at least one thousand.

Wichita, Kansas, through the energetic work of O. A. Boyle, chairman of the ways and means committee of the business association, will have a new \$700,000 modern ten story hotel. Nearly all the money has been raised in Wichita and surrounding country without the heavy investors being called upon.

Mr. Boyle's high record of success and integrity was able to enlist all the loyal and patriotic citizens of Wichita and the 1,200 members of the Commercial club in the enterprise. They had felt the need of a modern hotel and they had the confidence in Mr. Boyle that he could put it over.

Such a hotel is not a luxury but a necessity. It was not a speculative proposition, but one which will pay 7 per cent on the preferred and 6 per cent on the common stock. Wichita is building a modern hotel because it needed it. There are other cities in the same class with Wichita.

The Birmingham Men's league has recently inaugurated an advertising campaign for the securing of more out of town trade within the two hundred mile radius of Birmingham. The business men of that city believe that combining their ideas and money in advertising to the extent that it would be impossible for any individual firm to do, but which will net big returns to all of them individually and collectively. The merchants of Jacksonville thought the retail department have a splendid opportunity to have this service.

Clinton, Iowa, is to have a system of cluster lights in the near future. The Commercial club worked with the local board, and President Fred Ball and Vice President L. C. Dillingham were tireless boosters for the improvement.

The Commercial club of Lincoln, Ill., has been successful in securing cluster lights for the public square.

The Commercial club of Des Moines, having made a complaint, the chief of police acting upon an ordinance has put a stop to sidewalk and street advertising.

The Atlanta Chamber of Commerce after having investigated the milk supply in hotels, boarding houses and residences, strongly advocates the appointment of state milk inspectors. The chamber hopes to secure a laboratory in Atlanta for the preparation of milk for infants.

SAMUEL H. NICHOLS DEAD.

Everett, Wash., April 5.—Samuel H. Nichols, formerly secretary of state, of Washington, and before that a Republican leader in Minnesota, died today, aged 87 years.

SOME JACKSONVILLE PASTORS.

The city has had her pulpits filled from about every walk of life, but usually our pastors have come from the pedagogical field. A few have been lawyers, an editor, a few farmers.

At the present time the majority have been teachers. One has been a "cow-puncher," one a photographer, one an athlete, boxer, baseballist, etc. Of these two might be called specialists along the lines.

Rev. B. B. Houk, pastor of the West Jacksonville Methodist church, is a very entertaining reader. He writes his own poems, and they are such homely heart sentiments that they catch the popular ear. He is in demand for many public programs, and always pleases.

Rev. H. S. Alkire is an ex-athlete. He was formerly a member of the American Physical Directors' association, and has served as director and instructor of several Y. M. C. A.'s, among them Delaware, Ohio, Madison, N. J., Brooklyn and Middletown, N. Y.

Since coming west he has directed the White Hall high school, Havana Chautauqua (the summer gymnasium at Quiver Lake was his conception), and he always has a class of boys to work out in athletics in his churches. He is also a graduate of a school of expression, and has trained many high school and college orators.

These instances show that the ministers can be many sided and are not the narrow, nasty nice fellows that some critics would have one believe.

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Fourth Row—Minnie Balke, A. F. Cook, Isabel Melek, W. G. Bate, Elizabeth Russel.
Fifth Row—Ione Keuchler, Elizabeth Koch, Isabel Baldwin.



CHATS WITH GREAT MEN OF THE CIVIL WAR

By Mrs. Gen. Pickett.

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GEN. ROBERT TOOMBS
Confederate Presidential Candidate.

At the Semmes' charade party, given for the benefit of the Confederate soldiers, a number of the guests had collected around Gen. Robert Toombs, among them Mrs. Seddon, Mrs. Robert Ould, Senator Hill of Georgia, Gen. Simon Buckner and Gen. John Morgan.

Gen. Toombs was talking of the visit of the Prince of Wales to the white house.

"Such an amiable boy he was, watching his host and following his example in little social ways in deference to his new surroundings. Fortunately, the presidential manners were not bad for a youth to copy, and such a boyish chap. Coming in late of nights and breaking the presidential slumbers with the query: 'Where are those cigars you promised me?' Walking in the conservatory with his host, he asked: 'May I break a flower? I want to send it home.' 'Break anything you like,' replied Mr. Buchanan, hospitably. 'May I break hearts?' 'You have all ours to do with as you will,' was the president's answer. One likes to think of that pretty, graceful, happy boy taking his first view of a republic and maybe storing up some democratic ideas for use when life's April days are gone.

"President Buchanan never had as much appreciation as he deserved for his really earnest efforts to ward off this infernal war. It was the first time a president of the United States had been met by a problem of that kind, and perhaps it was not pardonable weakness that caused him to be led in one direction by Cobb and Sill and Benjamin and in the opposite by Judge Black. The diplomatic weapons with which he put an end to the war in Utah in the beginning of his administration were so successful that he believed, bent up on war as we were, if he had had a little more time he might at least have postponed the evil moment."

"The United States army lost most of the southern officers," remarked Senator Hill.

"Yes, but there were many who remained faithful to the old flag. It depended largely upon the place where they were born. The Virginians came with us, those who were most prominent, except Scott and Thomas, and they hesitated. Scott was born in Petersburg and had a Richmond wife. He loved Vir-

ginia and he loved the union; the 'pound of flesh' lay on the union side. I was intimate with the old fellow and liked him. I served with him in the Creek war. Afterward when I was in congress, we met upon the level, with no difference of rank between us, and became fonder still of each other. At a 'pulse feeling' dinner at Wormley's in Washington, at which there were unionists and secessionists—the majority voice, however being for peace—with the cock-tails Ben Hill proposed 'The Union,' and Gen. Scott responded: 'The union the union, we must save the union. Every course and every glass of wine brought forth the same response, 'The union must be saved, gentlemen.' When the coffee was brought in I said:

"General Scott, I can read your innermost soul, and I know the union is dear to you. In a steamboat explosion on the Mississippi, when the passengers were in the water and the effort was, of course, to save the women and children first, a woman half frantic, ran up and down the bank, screaming: 'Save that red-headed man, for God's sake! Save him.' Her appeals touched the heart of one who, at the risk of his life, brought the red-headed man to shore. The frantic woman seemed to feel no further interest in him and when the rescuer expressed surprise at her indifference, she replied: 'Oh, he owes me ten thousand dollars.' The union General Scott, owes you seventeen thousand dollars a year."

Toombs was a man of iron will and so obstinate that it was not surprising that after a quarrel with his party he, with his friend, Mr. Stephens, should vote for Mr. Webster, who had been for months dead.

He was so fiery and eloquent a secessionist that the casual reader has been accustomed to think him a original disunionist. But when the election of a president for the confederacy was held Toombs was thrown out because ten years before he had stood for union principles. Remembering him is he pined back and fore the door of the room in which President Davis and some of the members of his cabinet were preparing to give the signal for firing on Fort Sumter, we cannot help wondering what would have been the result had he been the guiding mind of the confederacy with the power to withhold that fatal shot.



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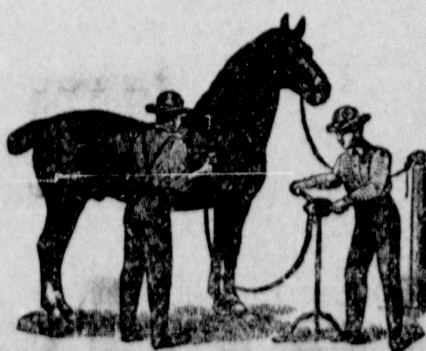
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CHURCH SERVICES.

Central Christian.—Clyde Darsie, minister. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Chas L. Mathis, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m. Communion and preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Sermon subject, "For My Sake." Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Calling of the Ministry." A special invitation to young men to attend the evening service.

Brooklyn.—9:30, Sunday school, under Superintendents Prof. Reid and Miss Stacey. 10:45, "The Orinal Sinner." 2:30, Junior league Miss Kelley. 6:45 Senior devotions. 7:30, a lawyer, ex-member of the legislature, and president of the state Baptist association will occupy the pulpit. Let us give him a large hearing. The chorus will render duets, solos, etc., at both services. Brooklyn keeps open doors to all.

Congregational.—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45. Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Joseph Ward." At the hour for morning service the Rev. Dr. E. B. Rogers, a noted Baptist divine, will present the cause of the anti-saloon league.

First Baptist.—W. L. Dorgan, pastor. Services morning and evening conducted by the pastor. The service at the morning hour will consist of a brief communion talk by the pastor, the reception of new members and the observance of the Lord's supper. Sabbath school at 9:30. Carl Weber, superintendent. Mission school at 2:30. J. A. McGlothlin, superintendent. Young Peoples meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening evangelistic service at 7:30. Subject of sermon: "What Shall the Harvest Be?" A cordial invitation is extended to all these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.—Regular services are held in the Huntton building, 333 W. State street, on Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Unreality." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m. The reading room is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m., where all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy, and all the publications of the Christian Science Publishing society are for sale or perusal. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

Trinity.—April 6, Second Sunday after Easter. Holy communion 7:30 and 10:45. Evensong, 7:30. Friday Evensong, 7:30.

Centenary M. E.—G. W. Flagg, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Albert C. Metcalf, superintendent. Address by Mr. G. D. Childs, 10:45 a. m. This, an address by a representative of the anti-saloon league, and will be of interest to all who wish to know the exact situation in temperance matters at the present time. 2:30 p. m. Junior Epworth league. 6:30 p. m. Senior Epworth league. Prof. W. H. J. Huber, leader. Sermon 7:30 p. m. "Another's and Our Own." All who desire to worship with us are cordially invited to attend these services.

Grace.—Sunday services at Grace church. J. W. Miller, pastor. Sunday at 9:30. F. E. Baldwin, superintendent. Fine program, all welcome. Preaching services at 10:45. Subject, "Christianity Applied to the Home." This is the first sermon of a series during April on "Applied Christianity." Other subject will be "Christianity Applied to the Social Life." "Christianity Applied to the Business Life." "Christianity Applied to the Civil Life." Junior league at 3:00. General class meeting at 5:00. Epworth league at 6:30. Evening preaching service at 7:30. Subject "Where Did Judas Go?" The chorus choir will have some fine selections.

Northminster Presbyterian.—Good things for the people all day. Dr. R. O. Post will preach at 10:45 a. m. Mr. Childs of Mason will speak at the evening service. It is very much desired that every member attend both of these services. The men of the choir will furnish all the special numbers of the music for all the services. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. E. M. Vasconcellos, superintendent. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night. The Invincible class will give a play at the Armory hall on the 17th of this month.

Mt. Emory Baptist, A. A. Russell, pastor. The introductory sermon to our revival meeting will be delivered at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "Faith and Courage." Sunday school at 2:30. The W. U. V. club will entertain from 7 to 8, then the evening sermon by pastor. Subject: "Consider the Journey." Congregational singing with special music by the choir during the day. All are invited.

Westminster Presbyterian, corner West College avenue and Westminster street.—L. H. Davis, minister. Bible school, 9:30. Bible class for men at same hour. Morning worship, 10:45. This is anti-saloon Sunday in all churches. Mr. A. E. Scroggin will speak. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:45. Evening worship, 7:30. Pastor preaching. The public cordially invited to all services.

German M. E.—J. Gruenewald, pastor. The third quarterly meeting will be conducted by the district superintendent, Rev. John Rapp from Belleville, Ill. Half-past ten o'clock the morning service will begin and sermon and celebration of the Lord's supper will be observed. In the afternoon at 5 p. m. will be another meeting. You are cordially invited to attend.

Earl Williamson of St. Louis was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

GIVES ADDRESS ON THE LIFE OF STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS

W. D. Wood Relates Interesting Account of Famous Statesman at the Brotherhood Meeting of the Congregational Church.

The April meeting of the Brotherhood of the Congregational church was held Friday night in the church parlors, with a large number in attendance. The supper was splendid, under the supervision of R. P. Joy. Following the supper the Brotherhood listened to a very interesting address by W. D. Wood on the subject of Stephen A. Douglas. Mr. Wood in speaking of Mr. Douglas said that it was well for people to know much concerning this great man, as the 23rd of this month would be observed as the centennial of his birth. The speaker said that Mr. Douglas was born in Vermont, but came west when a boy, the family settling at Meredosia. Later they came to Winchester and Jacksonville. Douglas had two close friends during his residence in this community. They were Hon. E. G. Miner of Winchester and Hon. Murray McConnell of this city. It was through Mr. Miner that Mr. Douglas secured a position of school teacher in the public schools of Winchester. He came to Jacksonville in 1834 and started the practice of law in the court house. In 1835 he was appointed attorney general and in 1836 he went to the state legislature. He was the author of the bill that brought about the Illinois Central railroad and made possible a revenue to the state of 7 per cent from that source. He was made a senator in 1852 and in 1869 was nominated for the presidency at which time he took the stump in his own behalf. He was the champion of the Kansas and Nebraska bill. Mr. Wood said that it was in the last six months of his life that his real character was shown when he displayed such a wonderful spirit in wishing the perpetuity of the union. Although politically he differed with Lincoln, he was for the preservation of the union. As time goes on the true greatness of Douglas will be revealed.

The Ladies' Education society will meet with Mrs. W. H. King Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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CONSERVATORY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ridgely Hudson, of Springfield, will give a joint vocal recital on Friday evening, April 18th, in Recital hall. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Mary Tiffany. A special rate will be made for students.

Mr. Munger will play by request the seven Fairy Pictures by Korngold at his recital in Springfield on Thursday of this week, April 10th. These numbers, composed by a remarkable Austrian boy, caused much comment at his recital here last November.

The conservatory trio have been engaged to give a recital at the Ursuline academy in Springfield in May. This will be the final one of a series of artists' recitals given at the academy this winter.

The members of the Illinois college chorus were entertained at the Academy hall last Monday evening by Mr. French, Mr. Kritch and Mr. Munger. Various "stunts" were performed by the four different parts of the chorus, solos were given by Mr. Kritch, and Mr. Munger as well as by Miss Mabel Matthews, and refreshments were served.

A students' recital was given in Recital hall last Monday afternoon at four o'clock. The following took part in the program: Catherine Wilson, Clara Russell, Mabel Forrester, Mrs. C. C. Carter, Eleanor Russell, Mrs. Thomas Harber, Elsie Koonso, Garnett Kinsley, Laura Smith, Mary Alexander, Olive Hodgson, Winifred Hubbell and Sallie Horton.

KNIGHTS OF CONSTANTINE. Local Masons who are members of the Knights of Constantine have received notices that the Grand Imperial council for the United States will convene in Dallas, Texas, Friday, May 9. The session will continue throughout the following day. This is the forty-first annual encampment and the council will be held in the Scottish Rite cathedral.

Bauquet Last Night

Did You Eat too Much, Drink too Much, Smoke too Much? It takes a mighty good stomach to feel ready for breakfast the morning after the banquet or social session. "What do you want for breakfast?" inquired Brown's good wife. "Just a pleasant smile and a breath of fresh air," answered Brown the morning after an important meeting.

If you eat, smoke or drink too much, remember that two little MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets taken just before you go to bed will stop fermentation and leave you with a sweet, clean stomach and clear head in the morning.

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PRESENTS RESIGNATION IN FORM OF BLOW TO EVERS' JAW

Trainer Semmons of Cub Aggregation Quits Team After Fight on Train With Manager.

Chicago, April 5.—Alleged dissension between Manager John J. Evers and members of the Chicago National League Baseball club came to a head with the return of the team here today after a seven weeks' training trip when Trainer Semmons presented his resignation in the form of a blow to the manager's jaw.

The fight occurred just as the train was pulling into this city from Kansas City. The Journal this afternoon declares that the training trip has not been as harmonious as had been reported. Evers, the Journal learns from persons who took the trip, has not been able to control his temper and there have been numerous minor squabbles. The new manager is said to have been rather sharp in his criticisms and has engaged in feuds with newspaper correspondents as well as with members of his squad. The fight started when Evers asked Semmons if he had ordered the team to report for practice this afternoon.

The trainer replied that he gave such instructions when instructed to do so by the manager. At this Evers lost his temper and is said to have applied "foul language" to the trainer and the latter replied with his fist, knocking Evers into a seat. Semmons left the squad at the railway station. He said that Manager Tinker wants him at Cincinnati and that he will sign a contract to train that team.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Annie J. Richardson, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administrators of the estate of Annie J. Richardson, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, hereby give notice that he will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the June term, on the first Monday in June, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 29th day of March, A. D., 1913.

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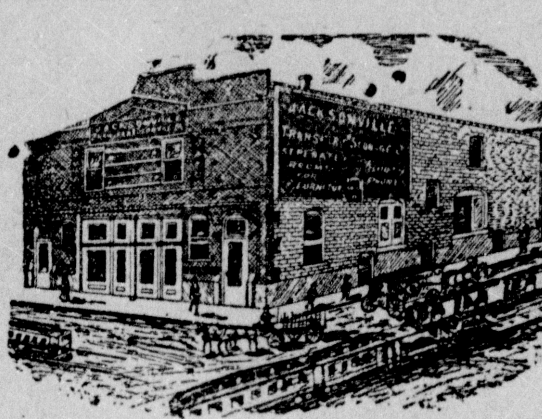
George W. Keon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began to use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist.

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The next meeting of the Jacksonville Woman's club will be held Saturday afternoon, April 12, at 9 o'clock in Academy hall. The program will be in charge of the flower committee and Miss Anne Jackson will give a talk on birds. The club has extended invitations to the teachers of the public schools of the School for the Blind and Illinois School for the Deaf, to be guests that afternoon. Tickets will be sent to them during the week.

W. J. Houston of the Bend neighborhood was in the city Saturday to visit his wife, who is a patient at Dr. Day's hospital. Mrs. Houston's injury is doing nicely.

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HISTORIC MEREDOSIA IN OTHER DAYS.

In the fall of 1839, Edward Lusk, who had been keeping a general store in Meredosia for six years, went to St. Louis and purchased a steamboat. This boat—the American—he ran between St. Louis and Peoria, conveying passengers and freight from and to all intermediate points. Mr. Lusk continued on the river as captain of the American for five years, when he settled in the neighborhood of Meredosia and engaged in farming.

The first postmaster in Meredosia was Philip Aylesworth. The mails were carried by a man named Pickett who rode between Springfield and Quincy once every week. When the old man came in sight of the settlement he would blow a horn to assemble the settlers to receive their mail. The postage was paid by the person who received the letter, not by the writer as is done now. At that time the rates were graded so that the postage on a letter which had been carried a distance of thirty miles or less was six cents, a greater distance ten, or eighteen, and three-fourths, and for any distance over five hundred miles the postage was twenty-five cents. Under the administration of President Jackson, Daniel Waldo was appointed postmaster. This position he retained for sixteen years. When James Buchanan was elected president he saw proper to appoint one of his own political party to the position. President Grant, however, upon his election re-appointed Mr. Waldo to the place and in 1878 he was still in charge of the postoffice. Mr. Waldo or "Squire" Waldo, as he was familiarly known, was in the employ of the postoffice department for over twenty-five years, and held the position of justice of the peace for forty-one years.

Previous to 1837, there had been no regular preaching in the place, but during this year several ministers held services in the houses of settlers. Among these traveling preachers, or evangelists were Rev. John A. Brich a Presbyterian missionary and the Rev. Benjamin Newman. About this time the citizens without regard to denominational differences united in erecting a house of worship. This house was built in the south part of the town, near where the railroad depot is at this time. A few years after the erection of this house, Rev. W. H. Milburn, the celebrated "blind preacher" held a series of meetings in Meredosia, and the outgrowth of these meetings was the founding of the Methodist Episcopal church in the town.

Some Early Firms.
In 1859 John A. Carver and M. H. Mauck opened a general store. Their business increased to such an extent that more room was necessary and in 1868 they erected a large two story brick building, the upper floor was for the occupancy of the Masonic fraternity. In 1867 Hysinger & Graham opened a store for the sale of groceries, dry goods and clothing. In a short time their business had increased to such an extent that they felt justified in the erection of a larger building on Main street. A large grist and saw mill was erected in 1859 by Kruse & Miller. This mill, was operated by various parties until it passed into the hands of C. C. Reiman who razed the old building and in its place erected a more commodious building. In 1878 two grain elevators were doing a successful business. One of them was owned by Thomas and Fritz Keener and John Pike, under the firm name of Keener & Pike and the other by Fred Einstman. The amount of grain shipped from Meredosia in the year mentioned was: Corn, 150,000 bushels; wheat 40,000. Among the other successful business in existence at this time—1878—was that of Charles Heinz, wagon and agricultural implement maker, and Charles Button, who had another wagon shop. Henry Shafer was manufacturing house furniture. The fishing industry is carried on quite extensively and tons of fish are shipped to the eastern market in its season.

The town of Meredosia was incorporated Nov. 23, 1850. The first board of trustees were: John Trubie, Wm. B. Newcomb, S. S. Wingenar, John W. Troyer and Wm. H. Long. At that time the town contained about the same number of inhabitants it did twenty years later. It had been in its day a thriving, energetic town, but other cities more prosperous in their growth had taken away a great part of its trade. This was owing chiefly to the inception and growth of railroads. At one time in the history of our country he who founded a town away from any lake or navigable river was deemed unwise, for no one ever dreamed that produce could be conveyed from one point to another save by water. Hence in the earliest settlement of the country towns all were found upon or near some navigable body of water. Meredosia was founded and grew well at first, but the railroad came in 1838, and other towns began to draw away its trade. This railroad, the first in the valley of the Mississippi, was part of the great internal improvement system begun in the Prairie state in 1835, and which for a time, so nearly bankrupted the people.

North Cross Railroad.
The Northern Cross railroad, the first one built under this system was let out to the contractors early in 1837. Some grading and other work was done during that season and on the 9th day of May, 1838 the first rail was laid at Meredosia. This was a great day in the history of the little town. Its streets were full of people whom came to see what to many of them was the beginning of a monstrous piece of folly. The history of this road, its small cars and meager equipments, its trials, failures and ultimate success make a story in itself of too much interest and of too great length to be included in this narrative. Among the worthy citizens of Meredosia who gave time and money in aid of this railroad enterprise,

none were more conspicuous than Daniel Waldo. He was as has been stated, one of the earliest merchants in the town and was prominently connected with the growth of the place. Speaking of his early experiences as a merchant, and of his acquaintance with men who afterwards became prominent in the history of the state, Mr. Waldo related to the writer of these lines, his meeting with Stephen A. Douglas, who first set foot upon the soil of Illinois at the little town of Meredosia. Mr. Waldo said: "In the fall of 1833, I was at the boat landing, receiving goods, when I was accosted by a young man who had just come on the boat. After the usual greetings of the day were exchanged, Mr. Douglas—for by that name he introduced himself—inquired if I knew of a place where a school teacher was needed, I told him if a school teacher was needed any place under the canopy of heaven, Meredosia was that place. He went at my invitation to my store, where I had quite a talk with him. He had been working at the cabinet business and afterward studied law in the state of New York. Wishing to better his condition financially, he had come out west. At this time, Mr. Douglas was but twenty years of age, failing to secure the interest of the people sufficiently to maintain a school, he "kept bar" for his board, and slept in my store. Not long afterward, he went to Bethel, but failing to secure a school at that place, he proceeded on foot to Winchester. While on his way to the latter place, he earned and received a dollar for clerking at a sale at Bethel. It was the first money he earned in this state. He secured a school at Winchester, and after its close went to Jacksonville, where he located, and shortly afterwards began his practice of law." The recollections of Mr. Waldo coincide with the statements made in the earlier part of this story. During the senatorial contest in 1858, Mr. Douglas, as well as his opponent for public favor Abraham Lincoln, made a number of speeches in this Morgan county river town.

Field For Curiosity Hunter.
Meredosia is a good field for the curiosity hunter, as there are in the limits of the town several mounds of earth, which were built by the Indians apparently ages ago. These mounds, some of which are fifty feet in height, are composed of black soil, which was probably brought from the bottom lands on the west side of the river. A few of them have been opened, and numbers of arrowheads, stone hatchets, copper vessels, and various articles of pottery-ware found in them. Immediately north of the town is a level tract of land containing fifteen acres. This plot of land is inclosed on three sides by high bluffs and on the fourth side by a lake. This was occupied by Indians, who had quite a village here, just previous to the

advent of the settlers in its vicinity. Growing through the sides of some of the mounds are trees several of them at least two feet in diameter, and having their larger lower limbs so trimmed as to give evidence that they had at one time been used as burial places for the dead. In one of the mounds a skeleton was unearthed some years since, which was supposed to be all that remained of Antoine D'Osia, the first settler. A few miles from the town are several of these mounds, and the remains of a large fort are also seen on the top of a high bluff overhanging the mounds. This fort shows the remains of ditches, parapets, etc. No portion of the county is of more interest to anyone who cares for a ramble through the woods on a bright summer day where they can enjoy the beauties of nature, and observe so many relics of the early days in Illinois.

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ORGANIZE STATE BANK.

Springfield, Ill., April 5.—The auditor of public accounts today issued a permit to Paul R. Walters, Joseph Van Hytte, John Catour, L. Verbeekmoes and R. De Schepner for the organization of the Farmers' State bank of Atkinson, to be located at Atkinson, Henry county, Illinois, with a capital stock of \$25,000.

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CONGRESS READY TO ASSEMBLE FOR SIXTY THIRD SESSION

Call to Order Will Come Monday at Noon—Democrats Have Working Majority in Both Branches.

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Many members of both houses of congress arrived today and by late tomorrow night practically the complete strength of the sixty-third congress will be in the city. At noon Monday more than half a thousand senators and representatives will be assembled in the capitol at the opening of the extraordinary session called by President Wilson to revise the tariff.

The political complexion of the two branches of congress will be as follows: House—Democrats, 291; Republicans, 97; Progressives, Progressive Republicans and Washington party men, 47. Senate—Democrats, 51; Republicans, 44; Progressives, 1.

For the first time in many years the Democrats will have a working majority in both branches. And for the first time there will be an organized third party in the house, a party numerically small, it is true, but one that is expected nevertheless to play a conspicuous part in the proceedings.

By reason of the change resulting from the election last November, many new faces will be seen at both ends of the capitol. Of the 291 Democrats in the house 103 will be new members, untried and uninitiated into the ways of congress. There will be 144 Republicans and Progressives, and of these fifty-five will be freshmen. Equal in proportion will be the changes in the senate, where many veteran legislators will be missed.

The capitol is spick and span in readiness for the session. In the short interval since the adjournment of the Sixty-second congress a small army of employees has been at work repairing and refurbishing the two chambers and the host of committee rooms in the main building and the two immense office buildings. The most notable change, of course, has been the substitution of benches for the time-honored swivel chairs and desks in the house.

The opinion is gaining ground that the session will devote itself almost wholly to the tariff and that all other matters acted upon will be of minor importance. Of course, when congress is once opened any measure may be brought forward by any member of either branch, but the success of enterprises not vouched for by the president and leaders of his party would be very doubtful. Early action is desired by the Democrats in regard to the currency and other reforms, but with the main task of tariff revision likely to occupy the most of the summer it grows more and more apparent that other matters of importance will of necessity be left over until the regular session in December.

President Wilson and the leaders of his party agree that the work of revising the tariff must not be done in a hurry. They feel the great patriotic responsibility resting upon the Democratic party, aside from the political consequences of congressional action. They appreciate the fact that such action as may be taken in revising the tariff involves the prosperity of American manufactures amounting in value to more than \$20,000,000,000 a year and may affect the welfare of more than seven million of wage earners.

Nothing will be done hastily, therefore, but every step will be taken cautiously and with full consideration of the possible result. The aim of the men who are leading and directing the effort at tariff reduction is to secure the passage of an act that will stand the test of years and not disturb business.

When congress assembles no time will be lost in taking up the real work of the session. In the senate the routine programme will be followed Monday. Vice-president Marshall will call the body to order, and the president's proclamation calling the session will be read. A committee will be appointed to call upon the president and inform him that the senate is in session, and another committee will similarly advise the house. Unless some senator desires to talk upon a privileged matter, the only business of the senate will be the opening formalities.

The house will of necessity take longer in getting its business under way. But the most of the preliminary business will be agreed upon in caucus so that no time will be lost after the session convenes. The ways and means committee, acting as the committee on committees, has prepared a slate of committee appointments to be presented to the caucus. The plan is to organize only the committees necessary to conduct the organization business of the house—rules, accounts, mileage and enrolled bills.

AMERICAN PILGRIMS IN ROME.

Rome, April 5.—The first of half a dozen large parties of American pilgrims who are to visit Rome for the celebration of the sixteenth centenary of the Peace of Constantine has arrived in the Eternal City and others are expected during the coming week, which will be one of the most notable of the three months' celebration. The chief feature of the week will be the solemn octave in the Pope's cathedral church, St. John Lateran. Each evening some visiting bishop will preach. Among the noted American prelates listed among the preachers are Archbishop Glennon of Louisville and Archbishop Keane of Dubuque, both of whom are expected to arrive here shortly.

GREAT NORTHERN'S HUGE PROJECT

Wenatchee, Wash., April 5.—Actual construction work was started today on the Great Northern power plant, the central feature in the colossal plans of the Great Northern railway to electrify its lines throughout this section of the northwest. The project calls for the construction of a dam which is expected to be one of the engineering wonders of America. The cost of the entire power plant will be close to \$10,000,000. It will develop about 100,000 horse power. This will be sufficient to electrify not only the up-river branch of the Great Northern, but all of its main lines east of the Cascades to Spokane.

WORLD'S TITLE AT STAKE.

New York, April 5.—Sportsmen on both sides of the Atlantic are keenly interested in the series of matches for the world's amateur championship to be played between "Jock" Souter of Philadelphia and Charles Williams of London, the first of which matches takes place today at the Queen's club in London. The agreement calls for four out of seven matches to decide the victor. The matches are to be played alternately in London and Philadelphia. In addition to the international championship the result of the series will decide the award of a purse of \$5,000 made up by the supporters of the two men in England and the United States.

DESTROYER LAUNCHED

AT QUINCY.
Quincy, Mass., April 5.—The torpedo boat destroyer Duncan was successfully launched today at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding company. In size and cost the Duncan will eclipse nearly all of the other vessels of her class in the navy. She is a one-thousand-ton, twenty-nine knot boat, and will be equipped with Curtis turbines and oil-burning boilers.



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NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Occupying first place on the calendar of events for the week will be the assembling of congress in extraordinary session Monday. The revision of the tariff is the purpose of the session. Radical changes in the existing tariff schedules are certain, though the multitude and diversity of the interests affected will necessarily make the task a difficult one.

The possibility that the long-expected decisions in the Minnesota and intermountain rate cases may be handed down will serve to attract public attention to the supreme court of the United States, when that body reconvenes Monday after a recess of two weeks.

Michigan's election of minor state officials on Monday takes on added importance since the electors will vote at the same time on several proposed constitutional amendments, among them one giving women the right of suffrage and another providing for the initiative, referendum and recall. Detroit will pass upon a charter amendment involving the principle of municipal ownership of public utilities.

State authorities, farmers, bankers and railroad officials are to meet in conference in Chicago Tuesday to devise simplified methods for the marketing and distributing of food products. The idea is in line with the letter addressed by President Taft to the governors of the different states proposing a farm credit system as a means for reducing the cost of production of food products and resulting in ultimate relief to the consumer from the high cost of living.

Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson, daughter of President Wilson, is to be a speaker at the national convention of the Young Women's Christian association, which will meet in Richmond, Va., Wednesday for a session of four days.

The Chinese assembly will convene Monday. One of its first duties will be to proclaim a new president of the republic. Much will depend upon the proceedings of the assembly in regard to early recognition of the republic by the nations of the world.

The week will see the real beginning of the professional baseball season of 1913. The American and National leagues will start their championship races Thursday. The Southern league, American association and several other of the minor organizations will get under way the same day.

Other events of the week will include the meeting of the National Drainage congress in St. Louis, the convention of the Navy league in Washington, the cable chess match between American and English universities, and the dinner of the Gridiron club, at which President Woodrow Wilson is to be the guest of honor.

STOCK ADVANCE AFTER MORGAN DIES OFFERED SPECULATIVE PARADOX

Firmness of Market in Face of His Demise Coupled With Resistance to Flood Loss Completely Changed Situation.

New York, April 5.—That price of stocks should advance immediately after the death of J. Pierpont Morgan offered a speculative paradox. Times without number of late, mere rumor of his illness unfailingly depressed the market.

The usual explanation of bear realizing by covering of shorts was only partly true. In this case, the outstanding short interest having resulted from other considerations than the fear of Mr. Morgan's death. The firmness of the market in face of his death, however, coupled with the resistance manifested the week before to the influence of the flood loss, was fore to the effect as to transfigure the whole complexion of the speculative position. The passing of April 1 without financial disaster at Berlin brought immense relief. At the same time, the near approach of the extra session of congress was accompanied by a supposition that moderation would prevail in shaping tariff revision. February earnings showed by the great railroad systems reported floods made on profits by mounting costs for upkeep and operation.

Helpful forces were found in the heavy exports and domestic demand for copper, leading to an advance in market quotations.

Steel mills were reported as resuming operations after interruption from floods.

CONFERENCE OF LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Lamoni, Ia., April 5.—Delegates are arriving in large number for the annual conference of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, which will be opened here tomorrow with President Joseph Smith, of Independence, Mo., presiding. The conference will be in session for probably ten days, and will dispose of a large amount of routine business. The business is always transacted at the afternoon sessions, the morning and evening sessions being devoted to religious services.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints claims to be the church in succession to the one founded by Joseph Smith in 1820. Its membership now numbers about 6,000. The general headquarters are in Lamoni.

D. G. Henderson of Arcadia was trading in Jacksonville yesterday.

CITY AND COUNTY

John Werries of Meredosia was a visitor in the city yesterday.

T. N. Burch of Murrayville was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss Rose Luby of Alexandria was shopping in the city Saturday.

Miss Ruth Curtis of Waverly was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Emma Scott of Franklin was shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Edward Joy of Joy Prairie was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. T. C. Hill of Scott county was shopping in the city Saturday.

W. M. Hayes and M. R. Coe of Pisgah were visitors in the city yesterday.

Albert Duckett of Chapin was transacting business in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. John Casey and Miss Lynch of Chapin were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hembrough of Ashbury were in the city trading yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Harling of Arenzville were shopping in the city Saturday.

Prentice was represented in the city Saturday by Edward Collins and George Weakley.

George Simpkins and Thomas Surratt of the Buckhorn vicinity were in the city trading Saturday.

Mrs. Christopher Richardson and Miss Tillie Richardson of Orleans were shopping in the city yesterday.

Representatives of Lynnville in the city were Roy Sayre, Walter Duckwall, Mrs. George Ransom and Mrs. J. Ransom.

Visitors in the city Saturday from Ashland included Mrs. J. E. Edmonds, Charles Newall and William Hanning.

Visitors in the city from Markham Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Killam, Mrs. E. A. Sawtell, John Hogg and William Sargent.

Felix Gordon, Ed Lonergan and John Mandeville were among the visitors from the vicinity of Murrayville trading in the city Saturday.

Bird Anderson, Warren Luttrell, Mrs. Abe Seymour, Peter Sturgess and Mrs. Benjamin Burch of Franklin were visitors in the city Saturday.

David Estaque and George Hardwick left Saturday evening for Chicago, from where they will take a trip later up to Pontiac, Mich.

Miss Jennie Rook of Bloomington is spending a few days with Miss Hazel Strawn of South East street and visiting friends at the woman's college. She will return the first of the week to resume her studies at Illinois Wesleyan university at Bloomington.

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FOR SALE—White seed oats, 35c bu. H. H. Richardson, Bell 912-5. 3-tf

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FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. G. F. LaRue, 1515 S. Main st., Bell phone 546. 17-1 mo

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FOR SALE—Black Langshang eggs, 15, \$1; 100, \$5. Mrs. Mike Ryan Alexander, Ill. 19-tf

FOR SALE—Surrey, first class condition. Address "Surrey" care Journal. 19-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs, thoroughbred stock. Call or address 216 Howe street. 1-6t

FOR SALE—Timothy hay, timothy seed, Texas seed oats. Stanfield Baldwin, Ill. phone 063. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Pure barred rock eggs for hatching, 15 for \$1.00. Thomas Duffner, Ill. phone 941. 2-11-1m

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. \$1.50 for 15. Ill. phone 833. 30-tf

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FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Island Red eggs, 15 for \$1. Mrs. Edward Armstrong, Ill. phone 013. 3-26-tf

FOR SALE—One second hand, good condition, Minneapolis traction; 25 horse power engine. Mrs. S. B. Gray, 1039 West College Ave., City. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Johnson County White seed corn; also Big Four White seed oats. H. S. Stevenson & son, phone, Ill. 0258. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New rubber tired buggy, harness; folding bed, couch and chiffoner. 200 N. Church. 28-tf

FOR SALE—Some choice seed corn. Reids Improved yellow dent. F. L. Halgrove, Ill. phone 50-865. 15-tf

FOR SALE—Leading varieties of strawberry plants; guaranteed first class. L. James, Ill. phone 86. 9-1mo

FOR SALE—Five room house and 2½ acres ground, barn sheds and etc. Plenty of fruit. 1059 N. Diamond. 3-19-tf

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FOR SALE—Eggs from Barred Plymouth Rock Single Comb White Leghorns; also White Holland turkeys. Thomas M. Stubblefield, R. R. 6, Jacksonville, Ill. Bell phone 970-3. 23-1mo

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FOR SALE—Reed's seed corn, \$2.50 per bushel crated, \$2.00 shelled. Prize winner at Farmers State Bank & Trust Co., corn contest. Frank Brown, Waverly, Ills. 3-6-1m

FOR SALE—At sacrifice prices genuine Hungarian Homer pigeons mated breeders and youngsters. Bell phone, day 61, night 668. A. R. Hanson, 1056 S. Main. 30-tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. Buff Orpington eggs, 15 for \$1; also duck eggs, world's greatest layers of pure white eggs, 75 cents per doz. Fred J. Henderson, Litchfield, Bell phone 50-11. 13-1mo

I HAVE a good eighty acre farm \$10,000; on good gravel road. \$4,000 worth of improvements; \$5,000 can run 5 years 5 per cent. Also have 289 acres fine corn land at special price if sold soon. These are sure bargains. C. Deleplaine. 3-21-tf

FOR SALE—Farm lands in Coal Creek drainage and levee district. Schuyler county, Illinois. We will sell one thousand acres of our lands in tracts to suit purchasers. With or without buildings. This land is all under cultivation and thoroughly drained. Address Christie & Lowe, owners, Beardstown, Illinois. 1-1-2m

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THE WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

LARGE FALLING OFF IN STOCK DEMAND

HEAVY REALIZING REGARDED AS NATURAL DEVELOPMENT.

Close of Day's Transactions Shows Substantial Recession Throughout List With Losses of Many Rangings From 1 to 2 Points.

(By Associated Press)
New York, April 5.—In view of the extent of the rise in stocks which had proceeded without serious interruption for a fortnight, it was regarded as a natural development that there should be heavy realizing today. The demand fell off largely with the result that the market was not able to absorb offerings of long stock with the facility which characterized yesterday's operations and there was substantial recession throughout the list with losses of many stocks ranging from 1 to 2 points.

The impulse to take profits was strengthened by the desire to close out contracts before the convening of congress and the reading of the president's message. While Wall street views the coming revision of the tariff with comparative freedom from fear lack of definite knowledge as to the probable course of affairs at Washington within the next few days increases the hazard of a position on the long side of the market. Bear traders took advantage of the situation to put out new lines of stock, particularly in some of the specialties.

Rumley fell 4 points to 37, a new low record. Chesapeake & Ohio was again under pressure and dropped to 67½, the low point since 1910. Southern Pacific developed exceptional strength. The bank statement was unexpectedly poor. Instead of the predicted cash gain of \$2,000,000 or more there was a loss in the actual figures of \$5,540,000. The excess reserves fell off by about the same amount.

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Amer. Beet Sugar 36
Amer. Cotton Oil 49½
Amer. Smelting 71½
Amer. Sugar 114
Amer. T. and T. 132½
Anaconda Mining Co. 38½
Atchafalaya 103½
Atlantic Coast Line 125½
Baltimore & Ohio 101½
Brooklyn R. T. 91½
Brooklyn Pacific 238½
Chesapeake & Ohio 68½
Chicago & N. W. 135½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 112½
Colorado Fuel and Iron 36½
Delaware & Southern 28½
Delaware & Hudson 160½
Denver & R. G. 29½
Erie 141½
General Electric 130½
Great Northern Pfd 37
Great Northern Ore. Cts. 80
Illinois Central 121½
Interborough-Met. 17½
Interborough-Met. pfd 59½
Inter Harvester 107
Louisville & Nashville 136½
Mo. Pacific 39½
Mo. T. & T. 26½
Lehigh Valley 161½
National Lead 51
N. Y. Central 107½
Norfolk & Western 107½
Northern Pacific 118½
Pennsylvania 119½
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WARNING—To the parties who have been in the habit of taking horses and buggies from the hitch racks, driving them and leaving them for the owners to hunt after they are through with them. This has been a frequent occurrence of late. The A. H. T. A. will offer a reward of \$15 for parties caught with any property belonging to any member of the order of A. H. T. A. and they will be prosecuted to full extent of law. A. C. Reid, president. 1-6t

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LOST—Gentleman's small pocket tortoise shell comb. Finder return to Colonial Inn and receive reward. 3-3t

STRENGTH IMPARTED TO WHEAT MARKET

BULLISH FOREIGN SITUATION FACTOR IN RAISE.

Favorable Domestic Weather Reports Cause Depression But Reaction Comes When Reports Show Small Export Surplus.

(By Associated Press)
Chicago, April 5.—Strength was imparted to wheat today by a bullish foreign situation and by the issuance of a summary showing a prospective small export surplus. The day ended with a net gain of a shade to 1/4c. Corn was a shade to 1/4c net lower, oats at 1/4c to 1/2c net decline and provisions were down 2 1/4c to 3 1/2c.

Continued strength at Liverpool was reflected here by a net advance of 1/4c to 1/2c at the opening, but continuance of favorable domestic weather and crop conditions caused selling to an extent that depressed prices for a time. A reaction came when publicity was given to a crop expert's summary showing that only 30,000 bushels of wheat would be left over at the end of the crop year, allowing exports from now until then at only 30,000,000 bushels. Prices on this news went to about the highest point of the week. The upturn was helped by slow preparations for spring shipments from Russia by firmness of Argentine offers and by advanced prices at Buenos Ayres.

Primary receipts of wheat were 614,000 bushels against 568,000 a year ago. Seaboard clearances of wheat and flour equalled 181,000 bushels.

Liberal offerings and a somewhat restricted demand for corn especially from the east caused an easy tone most of the session. An improved inquiry caused a trifle firmer feeling toward the close.

Oats were easy and dull throughout the day. General liquidation made a lower market for provisions. May pork showed a greater decline than any other item, finishing the day at a net loss of 3 1/2c.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET.
Chicago, April 5.—Close—Hogs: Receipts, 12,000; market steady to shade higher. Bulk of sales, \$8.95 @ 9.15; light, \$8.90 @ 9.20; mixed, \$8.75 @ 9.15; heavy, \$8.55 @ 9.10; rough, \$8.50 @ 8.70; pigs, \$6.85 @ 9.10.

Cattle—Receipts, 300; market strong. Heaves, \$7.25 @ 9.20; Texas steers, \$6.70 @ 7.85; western steers, \$6.90 @ 8.15; stockers and feeders, \$6.10 @ 8.15; cows and heifers, \$3.75 @ 8.10; calves, \$6.00 @ 8.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; market strong. Native, \$6.10 @ 7.25; western, \$6.10 @ 7.25; yearlings, \$7.25 @ 8.25; lambs, native, \$7.00 @ 9.00; western, \$7.00 @ 9.00.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET.
St. Louis, Mo., April 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 1700; market steady. Choice to fine steers, \$8.50 @ 9.00; good to choice steers, \$7.50 @ 8.50; dressed and butcher steers, \$5.75 @ 7.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 8.00; cows and heifers, \$5.50 @ 8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; market 10c lower. Pigs and lights, \$6.00 @ 9.20; mixed and butchers, \$9.00 @ 9.20; good heavy, \$9.00 @ 9.15. No sheep.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.
Peoria, Ill., April 5.—Corn—Unchanged; No. 3 white, 53½c; No. 4 white, 52c; No. 2 yellow, 53½c; No. 3 yellow, 52½c; No. 4 yellow, 52c; No. 3 mixed, 52½c; No. 4 mixed, 51½c; sample, 50½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 35½c; standard, 34½c; No. 3 white, 33c; No. 4 white, 31½c; No. 3 yellow, 32½c.

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Wheat—High Low Close
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Corn—
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Pork—
May 20.40 20.00 20.00
July 20.35 20.07½ 10.12½
Lard—
May 10.95 10.85 10.90
July 10.90 10.82½ 10.85
September 10.87½ 10.80 10.82½
Ribs—
May 11.20 11.15 11.15
July 10.97½ 10.87½ 10.90
September 10.77½ 10.67½ 10.70

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, April 5.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.03 @ 1.06; No. 4 red, 95c @ 1.00; No. 4 red, 85c @ 94c; No. 3 hard winter, 91½c @ 94c; No. 3 hard winter, 90c @ 92c; No. 2 spring, 89c @ 90c; No. 3 spring, 85c @ 88c; No. 1 northern spring, 91½c @ 92c; No. 2 northern spring, 90c @ 91c; No. 3 northern spring, 86c @ 89c.

Corn—No. 2, 55c @ 55½c; No. 3, 52½c @ 53c; No. 4, 50½c @ 52½c; No. 2 white, 56c @ 56½c; No. 3 white, 54c @ 54½c; No. 4 white, 52½c @ 53c; No. 2 yellow, 54c @ 55c; No. 3 yellow, 52½c @ 54c; No. 4 yellow, 51½c @ 52c; S. G. M., 49c @ 50c; S. G. Y., 49c @ 50c.

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St. Louis, April 5.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07; No. 3 red, \$1.02; No. 4 red, 90c @ 95c; No. 3 hard winter, 91c @ 92½c; No. 3 hard winter, 89c @ 90c; No. 4 hard winter, 87c @ 88c.

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LOTS IN NEW ADDITION SOLD WELL SATURDAY

Walton Bros. Kept Promises and Disposed of Rosedale Court Holdings to Best Bidders.

The sale of lots in Rosedale Court adjoining Grove street held by Walton Bros. Saturday afternoon was well attended and all the lots were sold according to promises. At a previous sale the lots on Grove and Anna streets were sold and Saturday all those fronting on the boulevard were disposed of at auction. The prices ranged from \$150 to \$320 per lot. The auctioneers were Col. Iglehart of Kentucky and Col. Reppert of Indiana and they entertained the crowd in a splendid way and did effective work. Leonard Walton, speaking for the firm last night that they were well satisfied with the sale and that they were seriously considering platting another large tract. They have had large experience in this particular line of work and have been very successful in it in a score of different cities. H. C. Clement acted as clerk yesterday and the purchasers of lots were, Mrs. E. G. Caldwell 2; J. Spencer 4; F. M. Vleria 1; Messrs. Cook and Huber 3; J. B. Schnell 3; Ed Thornberry 1; Fred Degen 1; Miss Harriet Sibert 1; George Hammond 1. The \$320 lot went to Mr. Hammond and the \$150 lot to Mr. Thornberry.

ATHENS COURT OF HONOR SOCIAL.
Court of Honor No. 3 will give an oyster supper Monday night at the hall. Everybody invited.

THE LAMENTABLE TRAGEDY.

Sophomores of Woman's College Heard in Musical Farce.
"The Lamentable Tragedy," a musical farce by Julius Caesar, was given in Music hall Saturday night by members of the Sophomore class of the Woman's college. The various parts were well delineated and the audience was well pleased with the production. The proceeds will go toward the endowment fund promised by the class. Refreshments were served at intervals during the day which aided in the financial side of the undertaking. The following was the cast of characters:
Julius Caesar—Elsie Chapman.
Pentus—Celia Cathcart.
Triumvir—Mark Anthony, Mona Summers.
Octavius Caesar—Katherine Aldrich.
Lepidus—Mary Nannon Linney.
Conspirators—Cassius, Peril Hess.
Casca—Vera Hess.
Freboulus—Honore Limrick.
Pindarus—Louise Harris.
Cato—Frances Finkle.
Snothayser—Fred Sidell.
Calphurnia—Frances Frazee.
Portia—Mary Lawson.

ALTED SUITOR SUICIDES AFTER ATTEMPT TO MURDER SWEETHEART

James S. Smith, Brought to Bay by Elgin Posse, Blows Out Brains With a Shotgun.

Elgin, Ill., April 5.—Brought to bay by a posse at a barn on the Jansen farm, four miles northwest of Elgin, where he last night attempted to murder his sweetheart, Miss Lilian Jansen, aged 28, James S. Smith, a tilted suitor, committed suicide this afternoon rather than submit to arrest.

Miss Jansen lies in a critical condition at St. Joseph's hospital from bird shot wounds in her right side. Last night while Miss Jansen was at work in the kitchen she was shot down by two charges of birdshot that came through a window. Her brother, Edward, for whom she kept house, was standing beside her, but escaped by dropping to the floor.

While Miss Jansen was being rushed to an Elgin hospital a posse was organized by Elmer Swanson, Joe Ballman and Harvey Harris, but the man who fired the shots escaped in the darkness.

Suspicion at once pointed to Smith and search for him was made today by Sheriff C. T. McBriarty, Chief of Police Frank Gahn and others. This afternoon Smith was discovered in a hay mow in the barn on the Jansen farm. The barn was surrounded by the pursuers. Before police arrived Smith came from the barn and, placing the muzzle of the shotgun against his forehead, killed himself.

Smith was employed by Jansen for several months, but was discharged recently because Miss Jansen disliked the attractions paid her by the farm hand. Smith frequently asked Miss Jansen to marry him and he is said to have threatened to kill her unless she consented to be his wife. Smith was 29 years old. Miss Jansen's parents are wealthy retired farmers and live in Elgin.

MRS. HARTMANN'S RECTAL.
Mrs. Florence Pierson Hartmann, head of the voice department at the Woman's college, will give a recital Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock in Music hall. She will give selections in English, French and German. The public is cordially invited to attend.

MAX MULLER VERY ILL.
According to dispatches from Los Angeles, Max Muller, former partner of F. E. Farrell in the banking business in Mexico, is now very ill in a Los Angeles hospital. Muller's wife will let no one see him but has herself told enough of his story to let it be known that he was badly used in Mexico because of his refusal to make a loan and that although he was escorted to the border and permitted to escape to the United States, that his liberty cost him \$10,000.

ATTENDED PARTY.
Misses Helen, Hazel and Martha Archer of Curran are visiting Miss Althea Brown of 345 West Independence avenue. They took part Saturday in a celebration in honor of Miss Brown's tenth birthday.

COAL CREEK LEVEE HOLDING.
Reports from the Coal Creek drainage and levee district indicate that unless something more serious develops the men there will be able to hold the levee and the river was practically at a standstill last night, although up to that time a raise of one inch was recorded.

Conditions in the city of Beardstown have changed but little and the refugees are being well cared for.

More Company B. Men Go.
Lieutenant Harmon Hume from Meredosia Friday night to summon other members of Company B. to aid in the work of protecting the levee. Lieutenant Harmon escorted the following to the Wabash station Saturday afternoon and they left for Meredosia accompanied by Quartermaster Sergeant Burke, Privates Harold Smith, Clifford Strawn, Raymond Davis, G. Bridgewater, Walter Hedrick, Eugene Keefe, Carl Cookely, and S. Madison.

A NEW LINE OF HEMP, MILAN AND LEGHORN SHAPES EXPECTED MONDAY AT HERMAN'S.

NOTICE.
Our work began April 1. By making your schedule the first time the assessor comes to see you, you can help to keep down the expense of the county. If you are called on the second time your schedule has cost twice as much as it ought to. Many men we have to call on the third time in order to get a schedule. Make your schedule when the assessor comes.

Jerry Cox,
Assessor-Treasurer.

SCIENTISTS OF NEBRASKA UNIVERSITY EXPLAIN TORNADES

State That There Were Three Distinct Tornadoes and Possibly Four, All of Which Were Parts of the Same Disturbance

Omaha, Neb., April 5.—There were three distinct and possibly four tornadoes in Nebraska on Easter Sunday, according to Professors Condra and G. L. Loveland, of the Nebraska State University, who are here gathering scientific data on the storm for the federal government.

They were parts of the same disturbance, however. The professors declared that if the twister which tore through Berlin, Neb., had struck Omaha it would have been wiped off the map.

This explanation of the tornado is given by the scientists:

There was great mass of cold air coming from the northwest. At the same time there was a mass of warmer air moving in a lower current from the southwest.

The two masses passed, one under the other, the colder air above. The colder air naturally pressed down on the warmer air. Harder and harder it pressed until by the great pressure holes were torn in the cold air.

"The warm air shot up in these holes. This started the energy and whirling motion and the tornadoes resulted."

According to the professors, "holes" were torn in the cold air hovering near Berlin, Yutan, Omaha and possibly Tekamah.

From the survey Professors Condra and Loveland have made of the tornado zone they figure that the storm varied in width from one-fourth to one-half mile, and that it took just thirty-five minutes for it to cover forty miles. It started at 6:05 o'clock and left the state at 6:40.

BODY TAKEN TO JAIL.
Mondak, Mont., April 5.—The body of the negro, Collins, who was lynched last night, was cut down today and taken to the jail by the coroner. It was left there to be prepared for burial. Later in the day it was found that the locks on the jail door had been broken and the body of the negro had disappeared.

Over a trail from the jail to the river a heavy body had been dragged and one shoe lying on the bank of the stream was evidence of the final chapter of the tragedy.

FIND BODY OF UNIDENTIFIED MAN.
Minneapolis, Minn., April 5.—The body of an unidentified man, apparently about 30 years old, was found in a swamp along the street car track, near Lake Minnetonka, late today. The discovery was made by a resident of the vicinity, who while walking along the railway track, saw a man's hand protruding from the swampy water. A photograph of the dead man and an unmailed postal card addressed to Mrs. L. Way, 312 Eastman street, Springfield, Ill., were the only things found in his pockets.

ATTENTION, UNION MEN.
Applications for janitor of the Trades and Labor Assembly hall will be received up to April 12. Salary, \$60.00 per month. Address all applications to A. L. Wood, Secretary.

Havre, April 5.—The French line steamship, France, with the body of J. Pierpont Morgan aboard, left here at 8 o'clock this evening on the voyage to New York.

THE CORN CROP IN MORGAN COUNTY.

The last United States census credits Morgan county with 1,944,442 acres of corn that produced 7,628,900 bushels in 1910, an average of 39.23 bushels per acre.

The farmers of Morgan county with favorable weather conditions should not be satisfied with an average yield per acre less than fifty bushels, which on the basis of the last census would increase the annual yield of corn for this county 2,094,140 bushels, which at current prices would be worth \$1,047,070.

If our farmers can increase the average yield of corn in our county to fifty bushels per acre the value of the county's corn crop will be increased more than a million dollars annually.

The department of rural affairs of the Chamber of Commerce wants that million dollars annually to come to our county and as a means to help get it is promoting the boys' corn club. It believes that the corn club will interest the boys in corn growing and in the betterment of agriculture generally. The boys of today will be the corn growers in a few years. The department of rural affairs has offered the boys of Morgan county the most attractive prizes ever offered in a boys' corn club. It earnestly requests the co-operation of the farmers in inducing the boys to enter the corn club so that Morgan county may in the near future get that extra million dollars annually.

The department of rural affairs is not now and will not in the future attempt to tell any farmer how to farm his land, but will endeavor to co-operate with the farmers to improve the agriculture and better the country life of the county. It wants the farmers to have that additional million dollars annually and the increased profits and comforts it would afford.

The executive committee of the department of rural affairs is made up of men who either own farm lands or are directly interested in farming and any of these men will be glad to have suggestions from any farmer of Morgan county at any time along the lines of the betterment of farm life. These men realize that the prosperity of the entire community depends chiefly on its agriculture, that the business interests of Jacksonville are vitally affected by the farming interests of the county and that the farmers of the county and the business men of Jacksonville are partners in the matter of prosperity and that everyone in the county wants that additional million dollars each year.

C. E. Deleplain sold a small farm in Missouri to parties. This farm is near a 600 tract he sold some weeks ago. He also attended a sale at the county seat and purchased 160 acres at \$20,000. This makes his 15th deal since May, 1912.

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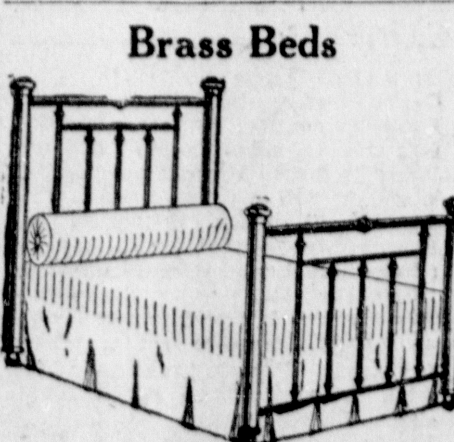
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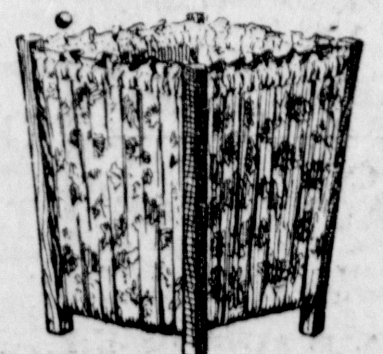
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